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TAFT, ROYALLY WELCOMED TO CITY, FLAYS ROOSEVELT IN SPEECH AT PARK

With party lines, and private differences erased for the time, Portsmouth and Scioto county united today to pay tribute to the first citizen of the land, President William Howard Taft, a guest within the borders of the Peerless City from 10:10 until 11 o'clock. Citizens lost sight of Taft, the candidate, in their eagerness to pay tribute to the head of the greatest nation on earth and the reception given him has become an epoch in the city's history. Although there was a noteworthy absence of jingoism and rampant enthusiasm, President Taft was welcomed in an unmistakable manner, and by such an outpouring of citizens that must have made him proud. Business men, workmen, merchants, ladies made up the crowd, with the added touch of thousands of school children who helped to line the streets through which the president passed.

Undoubtedly affected by the character of the greeting Taft attempted no "spread eagle" tactics in his speech, but discussed in earnest manner policies and issues. In presenting them he found occasion to hammer Roosevelt right and left to the edification of his adherents.

All in all the reception to Taft in Portsmouth was one which reflects credit upon all the citizens alike and will add to the fame of Portsmouth as a city which "Does Things."

THOUSANDS LINED THE STREETS TO WELCOME TAFT TO PORTSMOUTH

There were probably 2,000 people at the N. & W. depot when the Taft special slowly crept up Tenth street and halted at the station. Six blue coated policemen made a passage way and in a few moments President Taft was directed to John E. Williams' car, which was shared by Mayor Tynes, John E. Williams and Taft's special men.

There was very little cheering until the President's car reached Ninth street, where the school children were lined up. The President stood up in his machine and waved his hat at the children, who saluted him with small flags, the scene being an inspiring one. The pupils were lined up four and five deep and when they flaunted old glory to the gentle breezes Taft's mobile face was illumined with a broad smile.

As the auto parade swung into Gallia street this thoroughfare was lined with people, who lustily cheered President Taft. He, with his hat in hand, bowed here and there in acknowledgment of their plaudits. There was a big crush at the intersection of Gallia and Chillicothe streets when the parade reached this point owing to the narrowness of the street.

Six policemen were required to keep the passage way from being clogged with pedestrians, all eager to get a glimpse of one of the central figures in the greatest political controversy in the history of our glorious country. After the parade became straightened out on Chillicothe street, the trip to Tracy Park was made in a very few moments.

As the presidential party entered the park, the River City band played "America," and heads were bared and cheers rent the air. The president was kept busy nodding to this fellow and that fellow, who affectionately saluted him with, "Hello Bill! Hello Bill!" Flags of all sizes were displayed from the business houses along the line of march and Portsmouth took on a holiday attire during the parade hour.

Thousands Cheer President

Immediately following President Taft's car came a number of citizens, in the political life of Portsmouth. There were ten machines in line, and they were well filled and had been decorated by persons with patriotic inclination. Among the distinguished persons in the machines were: Gen. Isaac Sharp, Irving Drew, Director of Public Service John M. Wilhelm, Ex-Congressman A. R. Anderson, of Ironton; Congressman R. M. Switzer, of Gallipolis; Director of Public Safety Wells A. Hutchins, H. S. Grimes, Frank V. Knauss, Dr. W. D. Tremper and a number of out of town visitors.

The school children brought up the rear of the parade, fully 3,000 of them being in line. The high school boys led the way and made a splendid showing as they marched with a soldierly bearing. Superintendent Appel and his assistants handled the children very commendably, profiting from the numerous Flag Day parades.

Secret Service Man Peevish

There was some delay in starting the parade from the depot, the automobile carrying President Taft halted on the west side of Waller street, just back of Fiehler's drug store. Taft sitting in a rear seat bareheaded. A secret service man was plainly out of sorts over the delay, and rushing up to Safety Director Wells A. Hutchins, exclaimed: "Let's get started; we can't hang up here for an hour."

I'm Betting On You

As the president's car neared Kessler factory, an employe who had waved at him, and a friendly wave it was, too, leaned out of a window and called this at the president: "I'll bet I'll, I've got a bet on you!" This remark brought a smile to everybody's face. Taft waved at the slow worker, who was happier for that particular moment than he had been at any time in his life. The President of the United States had waved at him, and a friendly wave it was, too.

When Taft began his speech silence overspread the immense throng in Tracy Park. The utmost respect was paid to the chief executive. As he arose briskly from his seat the crowd let loose with three vigorous cheers, and the president was soon hurling darts into the Roosevelt camp.

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POLICE DID A GOOD JOB

The police and military arrangements for handling the crowds and preserving order were almost perfect.

Chief of Police Sam Philipps had an officer stationed at every street intersection along the line of march and kept vehicles on the side streets. The chief himself, Captain Walker and a detail of officers all looking spick and span in their handsome new uniforms rode in a touring car just ahead of the one bearing the president. When they arrived at Tracy Park, the officers cleared the way for the distinguished party, and once the president had mounted the rostrum, the police stood guard, allowing no one to mount the platform save vice presidents and persons bearing tickets.

Captain Cliff Drown and the members of Company K guarded the walk leading through the park from Ninth street to the platform, which had been roped off. One young man attempted to pass through the line, and when several guardsmen blocked his way showed fight. He was overpowered and turned over to Police Officers Charles Bard and Hayes Puckett. The latter marched him to headquarters, where he was immediately released.

Only A Few Automobiles.

Considerable disappointment was expressed all along the line because there were not more automobiles in the president's escort. The crowd, particularly the hundreds of school children, were eager for a big parade.

Automobile Bumps Bike.

A collision was narrowly averted when an automobile containing license tag No. 18,853 came near bumping into a man mounted on a bicycle at Ninth and Waller streets. Several women almost fainted. Officer Cooper soon cleared the way and the incident was soon forgotten.

Steel Men Had The Oppertunity.

Those of the Portsmouth Steel Company and N. & W. terminal employes who desired the opportunity of seeing President Taft were excused from work, Wednesday morning.

Taft Train In Best Of Hands.

The train crew that was in charge of the Taft special was made up of Engineer James McMahon, Fireman Charley Brooks and Conductor Hopkins. The special was drawn by engine No. 705, and it flaunted two white flags, signifying that it was a special.

Many Autos At The Park.

With the arrival of the president fully 100 autos were flanked in North Waller street. It seemed as if everybody was out in a machine, which probably convinced the president that Col. Prosperity had stopped off here on his way around the world.

Soldier Was Overcome.

An aged soldier named Nagel, living at Sciotoville, fainted on Chillicothe street, opposite Tracy park. Police officers rushed to a nearby saloon, secured restoratives and he was soon revived.

OUR PRESIDENT

Sheridan Rides With Taft Through County

(By F. W. Sheridan.)

Teddy Roosevelt has President William Howard Taft beaten to a frazzle when it comes to a hand shake.

Leastwise, that's the way I sized up the situation when I grasped the big fat hand of the president when I boarded the Taft special at Karden Wednesday morning at 9:25 o'clock.

Taft shakes hands like the martyred McKinley did, no squeeze, no pressure, no expression, no warmth, just a simple formality, and I never was very strong for that.

However, he warms up on acquaintance. He can joke and he can parry a thrust. He appeared to me as though he would be good on both the offensive and defensive side of the game. He used to be a newspaper man himself, and probably appreciates their trials and tribulations. He can and did comment on the weather, and so far as I was able to see is a tireless worker.

While the president is a big man, both mentally and physically, he carries his weight easily, and I'll bet a nickle that he can do a two-step with the veriest kind of grace. He is a man—a great big manly man—may his

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SNEAK THIEF WAS BUSY

Taking advantage of the immense crowd that had gathered in Tracy Park to hear President Taft, a sneak thief Wednesday morning entered the North End home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilson, who live on Kinney street. The thief got away with a new suit of clothes belonging to Mr. Wilson. A rear window was forced.

Named Baby After Taft

Officer Rome Arthur celebrated the day by naming his few weeks' old baby son Raymond Taft, in honor of the president. Rome had intended naming the child William Howard Taft, but there are several other Williams in the Arthur family.

Taft Seemed Worried

When President Taft mounted the rostrum he took his seat rather mechanically. The surging crowd failed to impress him. He stared as if looking into a blank space. He appeared to be in a deep study and his peculiar look elicited much comment. When Judge Holcomb got up to make his short introductory speech the president then sat erect and mopped his brow, as he perspired very freely, as the sun beamed down on his bare head with unrestrained fury.

Police Station Abandoned

The police closed up shop in order to devote all attention to the Taft meeting. The prison doors were closed with a bang and everybody hurried out, leaving police headquarters deserted. Telephones were ringing incessantly, but there was not a soul in sight when a Times man stepped in. All court cases had been continued until evening.

WALLOPING IS GIVEN TO THE DOUGHTY ONE

President William Howard Taft became the "Fighting President" at Tracy Park, Wednesday when before a crowd of 10,000 people he went after Colonel Roosevelt, his former friend and now chief political opponent hammer and tongs. Charging Roosevelt with constructing a ladder of slander upon which to climb to the presidency, Mr. Taft minced no words, spared no feelings and hit straight from the shoulder. He charged Roosevelt with hitting him below the belt, but stated that he was now on to all the tricks of the boxing game and he proposed to hit back and hit hard, no matter where the blows landed or how badly they hurt.

The president spoke from a gayly bedecked platform at Tracy Park, looking the 10,000 people square in the eye and hurling his bomb shell with defiance stamped upon his rotund face. He was in deadly earnest and the way he went after Roosevelt was a caution. He called a spade a spade, and while he used elegant and gentlemanly language in refuting the statements of Roosevelt that reflected against his administration, nevertheless there was a sting in many syllables and cuts in many words.

Says Roosevelt Wants Monarchy

The president threw restraint to the wind and berated Colonel Roosevelt for going back on his "square deal policy." He charged the Terrible One with political treachery and handed him a few uppercuts that stung like fury. While he did not create any great amount of enthusiasm (his speech reading better than it sounded) nevertheless he was plain spoken and waded into the fight with a brave front, caring not where, how or when he jolted his erstwhile bosom friend and advisor.

He charged Roosevelt with wanting to set up a monarchy, claiming that he was asking for a third term, something that Washington would not ask for, something that Grant was denied.

He claimed that he loved the common people, despite the thrusts made by Roosevelt that he was an aristocrat, and had no sympathy whatever for the laboring people.

Holding aloft his big hand and standing on his tip-toes, he sent this shot at Roosevelt: "I can stand the injury to my reputation; I can stand the injury or defeat of personal ambition, but I cannot permit a cause in which I am the titular head of the nation to go undefended."

Talked On The Bosses.

He talked on the issue of bosses and grew quite sarcastic when he pointed to the fact that Colonel Roosevelt had never sidestepped the support of any kind of a boss, big or little, great or small. "A boss is a creature who is created by local conditions," cried the president, "and it's up to the people to rid themselves of such people." Continuing, he fired a broadside at the Rough Rider by asking the question: "How many bosses were strewn along the path after Colonel Roosevelt quit his office which extended over a term of seven years? If he is elected again I suppose there will be no more bosses."

President Taft said that he was a native of the state of Ohio and was proud of the fact. "I can only ask of you a square deal—that's all I want. I am asking your support and I want you to understand that I do not demand that you belong to the Young Men's Christian Association before you vote for me." This sally was greeted with applause.

The president is not the possessor of a vigorous voice, despite the huge proportions of his mammoth frame. It is doubtful if more than 1000 persons in that big crowd heard him distinctly. He put every ounce of energy into his 35 minutes' talk and was sweating like a paddy on the railroad when he brought his remarks to a close.

Introduced By Judge Holcomb.

President Taft was introduced

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THE BURNING QUESTION
VIEWED FROM A BUSINESS STANDPOINT
WHY? Wouldn't it be a stroke of good business policy to ELECT a man with an ENGINEERING EXPERIENCE OF 30 YEARS AS ONE of the county commissioners? Think it over--you pay the freight. GEO. S. WILHELM IS THE MAN.

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THE CARDINAL'S SPEECH.

The Hartford, Connecticut, Courant observes:

"At their St. Patrick's Day dinner the members of Boston's Charitable Irish Society had the President of the United States with them. They had also with them Boston's archbishop—Cardinal O'Connell. The President spoke when the time came, and the cardinal spoke; his theme was civil and religious liberty. When he sat down, he left no one present in doubt as to what one so-called "prince of the church"—who happens to be also a Massachusetts man by birth and an American citizen—thinks of the Roosevelt "recall" nostrum.

Civil liberty and religious liberty must stand or fall together, said Cardinal O'Connell. Unless both are secure, neither is safe. The state must not seek to enslave religion; religion must not encroach upon the rightful domain of the state. Divine law and human law are the solid bases of liberty. Our popular government, in which liberty is housed, does not rest upon the momentary whim of the people, but upon the eternal justice of the universe. Make the law unstable, and you open the gates to tyranny. The cardinal continued:

Justice is not founded upon votes, but upon principles. The fact that the form of government is popular franchise can no more change the origin and foundation and genuine interpretation of law than a plebiscite can banish God. "Long live the people"—no man raises that cry with more sincerity than I, and all here.

But the very life of the people's liberties, religious and civic, is always in danger when the foundations of law and the independence of judges, be they civil or ecclesiastical, is imperiled. The law is not the people—the people is not the law. The law is the principle of justice governing the people. And its application to individuals, to associations, to business, to every relationship of civil life, must be so hedged around with reverence and security that the civil courts may in moments of popular passion save the whole people from the tyranny of lawless majorities.

These words will go far, and wherever they go they will be pondered. They are another summons to American citizens to think soberly at this time, and to act intelligently and prudently."

WORSE AND MORE OF IT.

The Bluefield Telegraph, a paper whose veracity we will not question in this particular instance, since its editor is a postmaster, says many Democrats in Illinois and Massachusetts voted for Roosevelt in the primaries.

Whence comes its information we do not know, but since we take it for granted the source is of little consequence.

Why we refer to it at all is to point out, that notwithstanding the frantic rushing hither and yon of Taft and Roosevelt, the outcry of the politicians and the boost the newspapers are giving the game, the great masses of the Republican party refuse to get excited. Yes, more than that their attitude seems to be that of the pioneer woman, go it old man, go it bear. They are altogether indifferent as to whether Taft crushes Roosevelt, or Roosevelt smashes Taft. For does it not appear, that notwithstanding the swollen Republican balloting in the two state primaries, through Democrats voting in them, not one-third as many ballots were thrown as the party cast at the last presidential elections.

To us that seems to show where the bulk of the Republican party stands. It wants neither Roosevelt nor Taft, it doesn't, in fact, want any Republican whatsoever, but means to help put a Democrat in the White House.

Have Adopted Orphans.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abrams of John street, have adopted Lucille and Thomas Conover, orphan children, whose father was a relative of Mrs. Abrams.

Come From Ironton.

Reed M. Davidson, city editor of the Irontonian, came down from Ironton Wednesday to accompany the Taft special to that city.

Mrs. Orson H. Ogier of 705 Second street, has fully recovered from a severe attack of rheumatism with which she has been suffering for the past eight weeks.

Mrs. Lou Minego went to Athens, O., Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. John Heisel, who is reported steadily improving at the State hospital there.

Buy Refrigerators at Hibbs'.

Efficient
Management

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Handling finances through a checking account in a good bank and a thorough knowledge and application of the facilities offered by the bank—these are fundamental principles of right management of a modern business.

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The First National Bank
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Capital and Surplus $400,000.00
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Falls Under The Feet Of Team Of Mules

Getting tangled up in the feet of a team of mules which began kicking, was the unenvied experience of a young boy on a bicycle at noon Wednesday while he was riding along Gallia street in front of Bode's store.

The first thing the crowd saw was the boy and the wheel and his bottle of milk lying beneath the heels of the mules. The animals were kicking frantically and when the boy was pulled from his perilous position his shirt was torn in shreds but he had a miraculous escape.

Those who helped the lad escape were too excited to learn his name and none of the bystanders knew him.

Banks Get Money

The commissioners Wednesday accepted the proposals of the five local banks, submitted under the depositary law and awarded them the privilege of carrying the county funds on their bids of 2¼ per cent interest, in the following porportion:

First National, 45 per cent; Security and Central, 20 per cent to each; Portsmouth Banking Co., 10 per cent and Ohio Valley, 5 per cent.

Miss Olive McCullough of 709 Findlay street, who has been quite ill with malaria fever for a week, is improving.

Went Fishing.

Thomas Brand of the Brand & Lawson Furniture company, spent Monday fishing in the Scioto.

HAYPORT

Miss Grace Burke closed a very successful term of school at Harrison Mills Friday, and returned home Sunday, to spend her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groh and little son Ralph, went to Lucasville Monday, to attend the funeral of their old friend and neighbor, Elisha Crabtree.

The Junior commencement Friday night at Wheelersburg Methodist church was attended by most everyone from the Hayport neighborhood, and all reported it simply fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burke and children and Miss Julia Burke have moved from Portsmouth to their country home at Burke's Point, where they expect to make their future abode.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spray spent Monday in Portsmouth attending to their spring shopping.

Mrs. Bertha Glover received the sad news of the sudden death of her sister, Mrs. Florence Walker, of Kan., Kys., Friday. Mrs. Walker had been in poor health for several years, and her death was fully expected. She passed away peacefully at her old home, surrounded by a loving husband and three children. Besides her father, mother, brothers and sisters. Her remains were laid to rest in the Greenlawn cemetery last Thursday afternoon.

Frank Maynew, of Oklahoma, a former Scioto county boy, is spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives and [illegible] his farm [illegible] county [illegible] from the Mayhew [illegible]

Mrs. Anna [illegible] returned last week from a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Walter Henry, of Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. [illegible] Barnhart and son Sunday guests Mr. [illegible] Mrs. Andy Sowers of [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. E. [illegible] were guests of Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Harrison [illegible]

[illegible]

Most [illegible]

Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible] was the guest [illegible]

Miss Minnie [illegible] team by spent Friday night with Miss Jennie Mayhew [illegible] now attending Junior commencement.

THE FIRST GRAY HAIR SIGN OF AGE

Easy Way to Preserve Natural Color of the Hair and Make It Grow

A harmless remedy, made from common garden sage, quickly restores gray hair to natural color. The care of the hair to prevent it from losing its color and lustre, is just as important as to care for the teeth to keep them from discoloring. Why spend money for cosmetics and creams to improve the complexion, and yet neglect your hair, when gray hair is even more conspicuous and suggestive of age than wrinkles or a poor complexion? Of the two, it is easier to preserve the natural color and beauty of the hair than it is to have a good complexion.

All that is necessary is the occasional use of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of common garden Sage and Sulphur, combined with other valuable remedies for dry, harsh, faded hair, dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair. After a few applications of this simple, harmless remedy, your hair will gradually be restored to its natural color, in a short time the dandruff will be removed, and your hair will no longer come out, but will start to grow as Nature intended it should.

Don't neglect your hair, for it goes further than anything else to make or mar your good looks. You can buy this remedy at any drug store for fifty cents a bottle, and your druggist will give your money back if you are not satisfied after using. Purchase a bottle today. You will never regret it when you realize the difference it will make in your appearance.

Special Agents, Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Sixth and Chillicothe.

THEATRICAL

The Star has a fine program to offer its patrons tonight. The bill includes "End of the Feud," a Western film, then comes "Fates Warning" and "A Daughter of Italy," both highly interesting.

Special feature film of the Titanic disaster, the genuine film, not stereopticon slides, at The Sun today 4 films and 2 acts in vaudeville. No advance in prices.

The Lyric

Two reels of exceptionally fine pictures in "The Lesser Evil," a powerful Biograph and "His Thrifty Wife", an unusually funny one.

Mr. Kinsey To Speak

M. H. F. Kinsey, who has charge of the Boys Work in Team No. 1 of the Men and Religion Forward Movement, will make special addresses on Boys Work at the different churches during the next two weeks.

Tonight (Wednesday), he will talk at Kendall Avenue Baptist. Next Sunday night he will speak at the United Brethren church and on the following Sunday he will talk at Trinity. Mr. Kinsey will outline a program for Boys Work that may be used in any church.

RAN DOWN A TEAMSTER

Passenger train N. & W. No. [illegible] left here at 7:30 Wednesday morning in charge of Engineer Brooks and Conductor Shaw, ran down Richard Neal, a teamster, who attempted to pass in front of the train. Neal was badly cut, but will recover. The accident happened this side of Cincinnati.

MAY MEAN AN INTERURBAN

Negotiations are under way for the purchase by an English syndicate of the recently created Ohio Southeastern System, which is composed of the old Cincinnati, Georgetown and Portsmouth Railway and the Ohio River and Columbus Railroad. These two lines have about 100 miles of main trackage.

The Ohio River and Columbus, which was owned by E. E. Galbreath and his brothers, runs between Ripley and Sardinia, Ohio, a distance of about 30 miles. Associated with them in the ownership are several St. Louis bankers. The Cincinnati, Georgetown and Portsmouth operates a steam road from Carrel street, in the East End of Cincinnati, to Russellville, Ohio, a short distance from West Union, about 60 miles.

If the roads are acquired it is the intention of the new syndicate to finance extensions eastward from Rushville and West Union.

WILL HAVE A HOME COMING

The Lucasville High School Association will have its first home-coming the first Friday in August, which will be August 2.

A meeting will be held in the afternoon at Dugan's Grove, and in the evening addresses will be made at the high school.

E. C. Hood, Prof. J. H. Finney and Attorney Mark Crawford are on the committee for arrangements, and they are planning to have a big celebration.

Will Celebrate Mother's Day

Mothers' Day will be celebrated at the Ry. Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. Charles Plan will make a short address on "Mother Love," and Miss Staiger will sing four "mother" songs.

The principal address will be made by Rev. S. D. Conger, of the New Boston Presbyterian church.

Landslide On N. & W.

There was a serious landslide at Prichard, W. Va., Tuesday, and traffic on the N. & W. was delayed four hours. Superintendent Ayres supervised the removal of the debris, which was piled fifteen feet high.

Opens Grocery Store.

W. E. Hancock has opened a fine grocery store at the corner of Sixth and Washington streets. Mrs. M. Seitz, who has been conducting a restaurant in the building, has moved to near the corner of Sixth and Market streets.

Decide Not To Have Home Coming Week

An informal meeting of the directors of the Board of Trade and the Retail Merchants was held Tuesday night to talk over the proposition of holding a Home-Coming Week in Portsmouth next fall. The members unanimously decided not to hold it.

The merchants say it would cost $15,000 to have a successful meeting and they believe that money could be put to better advantage in advertising Portsmouth.

The proposition of building apartments to accommodate the large number of families who are unable to get houses was also discussed and an open meeting will be called in the near future to take up the matter.

Removed To The Hospital

Millard Reynolds, who is suffering with blood poison, was removed to the Hempstead hospital Wednesday. He is an N. & W. fireman.

Big Pumpkin On Display

In the window of the Central Grocery there is on display a leftover from last season pumpkin, which weighs 30 pounds. It is in a fine state of preservation and is owned by Philip Bauer, of the North End. It is attracting much attention.

A wedding will take place at the Baptist parsonage in Jackson tonight that will be of interest to a number in this city. The bride Miss Zelma Stevens, daughter of J. S. Stevens and a sister of Dr. A. O. Stevens at South Webster. She will be married tonight to Mr. William Richards, a young business man of Jackson and they will immediately go to housekeeping in a cozily furnished home. Miss Stevens is well known to a large circle of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Scheeter, of Danville, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schmidt, of Gallia street. Mrs. Scheeter is a sister of Mr. Schmidt.

Mrs. A. W. Scheaf and son, Master Harold, of Columbus, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Wells, of Findlay street.

Baby Son.

A baby son was born to Sam Spence and wife at their home in Friendship, Tuesday. The child is their first born and Sam is stepping high.

Dog Disappears.

A fine Scotch collie dog disappeared from the home of Felix Haas Tuesday night. Mr. Haas will pay a liberal reward for its return.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'.

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Tom Sabbs In Bad Luck

Tom Sabbs, the star flinger of the Buckeyes, is playing in hard luck these days. On Tuesday he burstted a finger and Wednesday lost his salary arm.

River Meeting.

Washington, May 8—The National rivers and harbors congress will hold its annual convention in Washington December 4, 5 and 6.

Mrs. William Gibson of Findlay street, is very ill with a complication of diseases.

COBBLERS GET BAD START

The excitement that attended President Taft's visit to Portsmouth was to much for the Cobblers in their game with Newark this afternoon, the Molders piling up a good lead in the opening innings.

The score at the end of the fourth was 8 to 1 in favor of the Molders, Marshall being found for a ladle full of singles and doubles.

There was a fine crowd out and the fans were primed for a winner. But Taft proved just as big a jinx here, baseballically speaking, as he did in Cincinnati. Each team scored in the fifth.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'.

Save Your Sale Slips

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Spring Suits

The number of our patrons is increasing daily, for we are out of the high rent district and our customers profit by this. Our Spring Suits in Blues, Tans, Browns, Greys, etc. are the finest, quality, style and price considered, that we have ever shown. Every garment just as represented.

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YOU WILL KNOW IT ALSO.
COMPARE THE SHOWS WEEK BY WEEK
---OUR MOTTO--
WE SET THE PACE AND LEAD THE RACE

TAFT'S SPEECH

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to the big audience by Judge A. T. Holcomb, who paid the president a pretty word tribute. He informed the president that the people of Portsmouth were proud of the opportunity to do honor to him as the chief executive of the nation. Mr. Holcomb has been a life-long friend of the president and was in his element when presenting the "First Citizen" to the crowd.

The president lost no time in preliminary sparring, but jumped into his address with a vim that bespoke his determination and hit right and left. He said in part:

I Am Here To Talk Politics.

"I thank you for doing me the honor to come out this morning and give me this welcome. I am here to discuss politics with you. It is not usual for a president of the United States to go out upon the stump and discuss political issues. But I am here because I can't help it. I am here because I represent a cause and I do not propose to have that cause suffer by unfounded charges made against my administration or aspersions made against me which shall mislead the people from the real issue at stake in the present controversy.

I am a man of peace and I want to avoid trouble under all conditions if I can. But there comes a time when you are stood up against the wall and you're hit below the belt and then you have to fight. And I am here to fight.

Now, you ask me what is this cause that I represent. It is your cause and my cause. It is the cause of constitutional government. It is the preservation of this popular government under constitutional restriction that has lasted now one hundred and twenty-five years. Do you feel that under that constitution you have been oppressed? Are you suffering and enslaved? Let me know the specifications. Don't you feel like American citizens that every time you get up in the morning and whenever you go to bed at night you want to thank God that you have such a government? Such a country? Is there any country in the world where the rights of the citizen are better defended than they are here? What is this government It is government of the people, for the people and by the people.

Takes a Dig At Roosevelt.

By the people? Yes, by the votes of the people—by a representative of the people. But it is of all the people because it belongs to all the people. It is for all the people because it is for every individual whose rights are protected under that constitution so that no majority by a majority vote can take away these rights. What are those rights? They are the rights of liberty, of property and of the pursuit of happiness. Now it is proposed by a new innovation, which Mr. Roosevelt announced at Columbus in his so-called Charter of Democracy, to have a recall of judicial decision so that when a court shall say a law is invalid it violates somebody's constitutional rights, then they are going to submit it to the people to determine whether that court is right in that decision.

You might just as well ask a committee of lawyers to build a bridge or lay a road when the engineers ought to do it. You hire lawyers and you pay them by the year and they become great lawyers, and you put them on the bench and they decide cases and they decide them because they know what the law is and they know how to apply it. That requires skill, it requires education, it requires training.

I do not hesitate to say it is not safe to take a judicial decision of that sort that involves a complication and that requires skill to decide it, and turn it over to a single election and a single vote, so that if it is a Republican year it will go for Republican law and if it is a Democrat year it will have to be downed.

Appeals To Negro Voters.

What does that mean? It means that by a single vote you can suspend the constitution. By that constitution you and I have rights of liberty, we have rights of property. Do you desire to put to a single popular vote the question whether you ought to be imprisoned against the law or not? That is the question, my friends.

Here are my colored friends, I see. The Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments were passed to secure your rights. Fought out by the blood of the patriots and the veterans who exposed themselves on the field of battle in the Civil war. I ask you, do you want to suspend these amendments by a single popular vote? Suppose it is a Democrat year and the question arises whether a law which fixes your rights under these amendments shall be suspended or not? Do you want to put all the rights you have under that constitution to a popular vote?

This is a principle that we have under discussion and it is because of that that I am here to defend constitutional government and defend the rights of the individual.

Now, the only reason why it becomes relevant for me to defend my administration and, myself, and I am here to refute those charges, for the purpose of having the cause succeed and to prevent the destruction of constitutional government, such as is provided for in this Charter of Democracy—so-called.

Makes a Plea For Fair Play.

Therefore I am here to ask you for a square deal. That is all. I am a son of Ohio, at I do not ask you for any different treatment from what you would give a son of any other state. I only ask the simple justice that you would give to the humblest citizen. And I want to go through the charges which Colonel Roosevelt makes against my adminis tration and meet it with evidence and ask you whether he has given me a square deal.

I say this is unprecedented. Never before in the history of the country has a man who has held two terms of the presidency gone out and attacked his successor in order that he might become his successor again. It presents a situation that the history of the country has not known before. And I plead that as the reason for my breaking all precedents and coming out here and defending what I consider to be the cause of the people, and then to bring before you what the real issues are.

Roosevelt says that because I do not want to submit to a single vote a decision by the Supreme Court of Ohio and of the Supreme Court of the United States, to determine whether the constitution shall be suspended, that I distrust the people. I deny it. I say I have the same trust in the people that the people have had in themselves for one hundred and twenty-vo years. What is it that makes the American people so great? It is that they realize that every once in a while they can make a mistake, that every once in a while a majority can do an injustice, and therefore they lay down certain restrictions in their constitution, of a voluntary, self-imposed character, in order that a vote of the majority shall go so far and no farther, with reference to the rights of the individual.

That is what makes this government great. That is the reason why we all enjoy it. This is not a government for the majority. It is a government for every one of us and one of us may be so treated by the majority as to require restrictions of that constitution to help us.

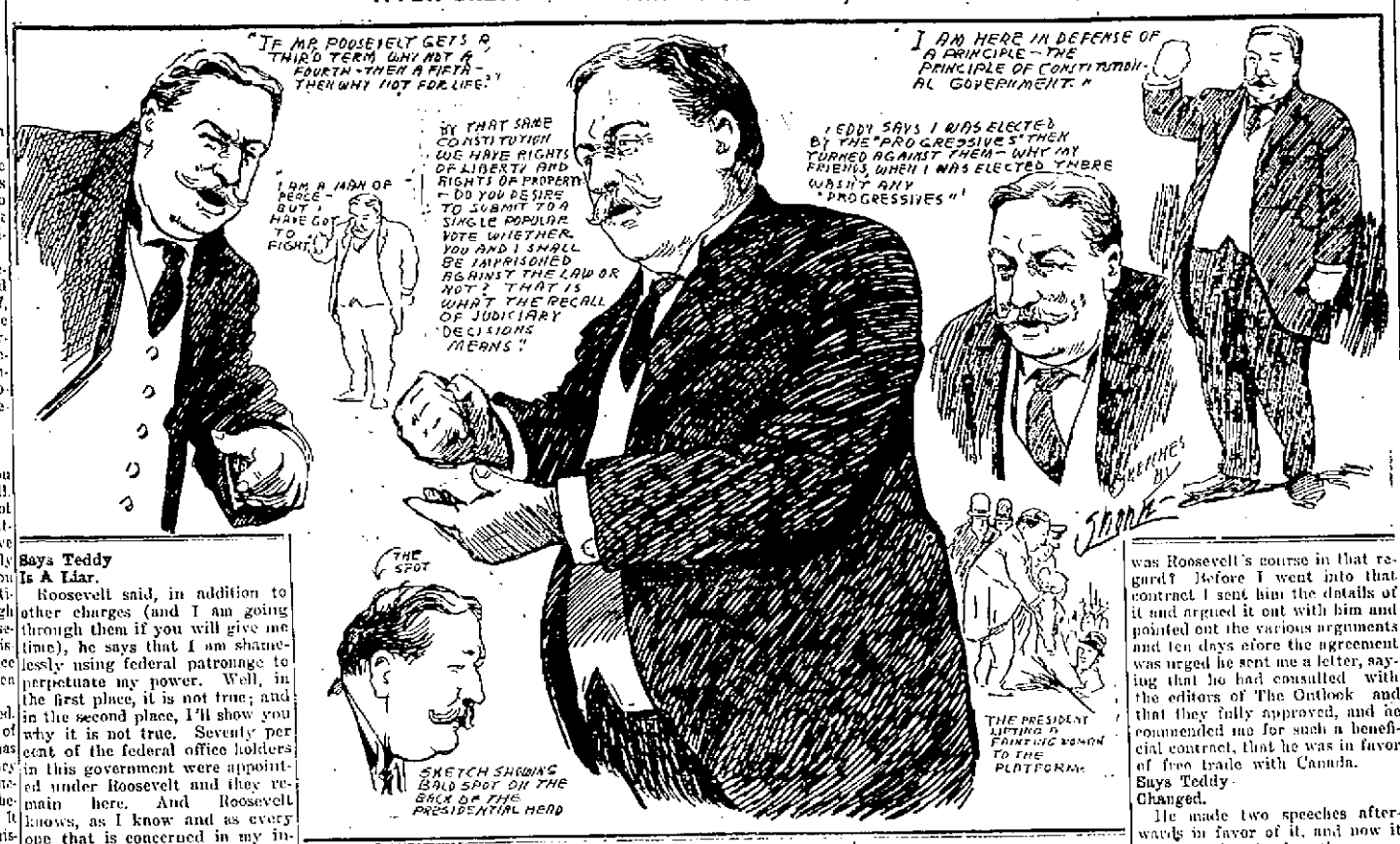
Charges That Teddy Is Unfair.

Let me give you a sample of Roosevelt's injustice to me. I said in my Toledo speech, in advocating this issue I am discussing, that this was a government of the people, for the people and by a representative part of the people. I pointed out that that meant all the voters, but that that only meant one-fourth of the people, because if you will examine the statistics you will find that not one-fourth of the people vote. Women and children do not vote. And yet they are citizens and they have rights just as much to be protected as anybody's.

Roosevelt quoted that one sentence in his Carnegie Hall speech, and he has quoted it all over the country. And what does he say? He says, "That shows were Mr. Taft stands. That makes the issue between us. He says 'by a representative part of the people.' That means by a few of the people. That means an oligarchy, that means an aristocracy. Therefore, Taft is an aristocrat, and therefore the issue is between us as between a democracy and an aristocracy."

My friends, do you think that a fair method of argument? Do you think he is giving me a square deal at all under these conditions, to say they have a certain meaning, which I have not said, and then to say that I am a friend of aristocratic classes. I ask you whether I have not the right to rise and protest. I yield to no man in my admiration for the government we live under. I am proud to be an American. Every fiber in my body responds to popular government. It is the greatest government in the world, but it is the greatest government in the world under a people that knows enough to impose upon themselves a constitution that shall restrict the majority of the voters from time to time, to prevent their doing an injustice to the rights of those that the government was established to protect.

A FEW SKETCHES OF THE PRESIDENT---By Shonk.



Says Teddy Is A Liar.

Roosevelt said, in addition to other charges (and I am going through them if you will give me time), he says that I am shamelessly using federal patronage to perpetuate my power. Well, in the first place, it is not true; and in the second place, I'll show you why it is not true. Seventy per cent of the federal office holders in this government were appointed under Roosevelt and they remain here. And Roosevelt knows, as I know and as every one that is concerned in my interest knows, that there are a great many of them working for him, either because they think he is more likely to be successful than I am or because they are more grateful for an original appointment than they are for a continuance. I am not complaining, although, as I said, I believe that system a bad one, and I have recommended to congress that it be abolished and that officers be appointed, all of them under the classified service, so there shall be no government patronage. I do not approve it at all, but as long as the system continues patronage is going to be used on both sides, and here under present conditions it is used less for one candidate than ever before in the history of the country.

Then he says that all my supporters are thugs and are stealing delegates. Well, I can't look all over the country. It is a pretty big country, and I cannot assure you that no supporter of mine has never done an unfair act. I can't say so, because I do not know. But I can say this: That no instance of unfairness has been brought to my attention by any evidence that is worthy of consideration.

Hands a Jolt To Roosevelt.

He says he was cheated out of the delegates in New York. The facts are these: That primary is held under the law, all the officials are appointed by law and they are state officials. The Roosevelt committee so long delayed their litigation with respect to what place on the ticket Roosevelt names should go that they delayed the printing of the tickets, and they delayed the delivery of the tickets in a great many of the precincts, but at none of them were there any contests. In New York they only had contests in 13 of the districts. So there was no real delay and no interference, but if there had been, I ask you if it would not have been fairer for him to go into court? They had $70,000, sworn to by the report made there, with only 15,000 votes cast. It would seem as if they had money enough to go into court and test the question whether there had been fraud in that election. But it is a good deal cheaper even if you have the money to go into headlines and charge a fraud 1200 miles away from where it is said to have occurred than to go into the place where you have to bring proof before you make those charges.

The truth is, they started this campaign with bluster and a determination to force it through and fool the people into the bandwagon business by claiming everything, and claiming it in advance and charging fraud in advance.

This occurred in Indianapolis: They had a primary fixed for 4 o'clock in the afternoon on a particular date. At 3 o'clock that same afternoon, an hour before the primary opening, the newspapers for Roosevelt interests were being sold on the street with the statement made by the Roosevelt committee, charging fraud in that primary that had not been opened when the newsppaers were on the street. Now, I do not say that all the justice is on my side and all the honorable men are on my side and none on the other side. I do not say that I am entitled to uncommon justice but that the statement of these charges of fraud without the slightest evidence is not the kind of a campaign that a president or ex-president of the United States ought to carry on against the president.

Tells Some Tales Out of School.

Then, he says I am not a progressive. He says I have not imagination enough to be a progressive. He says I am puzzle-witted; I have not sympathy enough to be a progressive; that I was elected by the progressives and then I turned and went over to the reactionaries. Let's see. When I was elected there were no progressives and there were no insurgents. They were all supporting the ticket. They did not appear until after the question arose as to the rules of the House under Speaker Cannon. We had a Republican platform that outlined the course that was to be taken by the Republican party and promised a great many things. One was the revision of the tariff. I was a little doubtful as to whether Speaker Cannon would be in favor of such a revision as I should care to have and I consulted about the question whether we could get in some other speaker a little more sympathy. I wrote Roosevelt about it and he advised against it because he said it would be dangerous to have Mr. Cannon opposing our measures on the floor. I waited awhile and then I went to Washington and there I received most urgent messages from Roosevelt to see Cannon if I would save my four years in the White House for usefulness to the Republican party.

I saw Cannon and I said to him: "I desire to pass these measures that we have promised for the Republican party." He said: "I am a Republican and I will help you do so." Then I went to the Ways and Means committee of the House, which was then sitting, three months before the inauguration and talked with them and told them what I believed we ought to do and arranged for free trade in the Philippines, and I said I believed we ought to put the tariff so it would represent the difference between the cost of production here and the cost of production abroad, as promised in the platform. All these things were approved by Roosevelt.

We passed the tariff bill. I shall refer to that in a moment. We passed the railroad bill. We passed more legislation promised by the Republican platform than had been passed by any administration since the war, and it was all legislation tending to uplift the people and of a progressive character. My understanding of a progressive is that he is a man who helps make progress—that is the only definition I can give. Whether he is puzzle-witted or not I do not know. A progressive is as he does.

Tells About The Finances.

What did we do with the Payne bill? We did not reduce as much as I though we ought to, but I signed the bill nevertheless because it contained so many good things. It contains, first, a corporation tax, from which we raise $28,000,000. I may be puzzle-witted and I may lack imagination, but I know the difference between a deficit and a surplus, and when I entered office I found, as a result of the Roosevelt administration, a deficit of $50,000,000 annually. If we had not done something we would have been in a hole. If we had gone on with the Dingley bill that deficit would have continued. But we passed the Payne bill and with the Payne bill and the economy I introduced into the estimates sent by the departments, we changed the deficit of $50,000,000 annually to a surplus of $40,000,000. Now, I may be puzzle-witted, but I know enough to know that is good business and that entitles me to the gratitude of the people.

The railroad bill put the railroads more under the control of the railroad commission and gave better machinery for the remedying of wrong by shipper than ever before in the history of the country. Roosevelt says the railroad bill passed but I am not entitled to any credit. It is only the progressives that are entitled to the credit for that. There were 13 progressives in the Senate and 41 in the House, and the majority of the Senate was 46; the rest of the people who voted for it were 40 regulars. Do you think I am entitled to some credit for the bill? If the regulars had not voted for it, and if I had not signed it, it would not have gone through. Roosevelt says, "True, you signed it, and it went through that way, but you proposed some very vicious amendments that were defeated by the progressives. Therefore, they are entitled to the making of the bill as it is."

It is true the progressives did defeat several amendments that I proposed. What were they? They were very good amendments, and why do I say so? Because Roosevelt had recommended them to congress himself and were contained in the Republican platform.

Refers To Lorimer Case.

I want to talk to you about a little personal matter. Senator Lorimer was elected by the legislature of Illinois. His seat was contested on the grounds of fraud. Not that he himself had corrupted anybody, but on the ground that his seat had been bought by votes that were corrupt. I looked into the evidence and satisfied myself it was very serious. I consulted with Senator Root, Senator Burton from our own state, Crawford, Nelson and a number of others. The committee had reported and I was afraid it was one of those summary reports called a "white-wash" that could not stand. I appealed to them to read the evidence and they did, and they all made speeches against Lorimer and I wanted one or two other senators to do the same thing. I wrote to Roosevelt to confer with him about the matter and suggested that he did not publish a paper that it was reported he was going to publish at that time, because it might prejudice the case and arouse the Senate on the ground of outside influence. I asked him to help me with another senator and get him to make a speech. I had correspondence and telephone conversations with reference to it. I never have changed my attitude since and Roosevelt cannot say that he has any grounds for supposing that my attitude toward Lorimer has changed in the slightest degree. He went into Illinois and made speeches to the people of Illinois, intending to have them understand and saying, so far as he could by intimations of various kinds, "A vote for Taft is a vote for Lorimer."

Now I ask my friends whether under those conditions that he, with the knowledge that he has, gave me a square deal. What would Abraham Lincoln, whom he likens himself to, have done? Would he have done that to an opponent? ("Yes.") Well, you have not a very high opinion of Lincoln, have you?

Again Jabs Roosevelt.

Roosevelt says I am the instrument of special privilege. I am the intsrument of the special interests. Well, I can't disprove anything unless he specifies. All he does is to say so. I prosecuted every trust the evidence against which has come to my mind. I have prosecuted every railroad, I have prosecuted every rebater. No man has escaped because of special favor in my administration. Roosevelt believes in good trusts and bad trusts and I do not. I think if a trust violates the law it ought to be prosecuted. There were two trusts that he did not prosecute, and I have prosecuted them. One was the steel trust and the other the Harvester trust. There has been published a statement made by Herbert K. Smith to Roosevelt when president, in which he tells of a conference he had with Berger, a director of the steel trust and also a director in the harvester trust. He says they have been so good that notwithstanding Smith may say that technically they violated the law, they have been so good they ought not to be prosecuted.

I do not agree with them, but I assume that Roosevelt acted according to his best views when he did not prosecute them. He did not prosecute them. Berger continues to be a director in the steel trust and also in the harvester trust and is fighting me just as hard as he can, and contributed $15,000 of that $70,000 that was used in New York at the time of the primaries when they had 15,000 votes and expended $70,000 for election purposes. I ask you whether it lies in his mouth, under those conditions and with that evidence on the record, to say that I am under the influence of special interests. I do not say that he is, but I do say it is not a square deal for him, with this evidence against him and with none against me, to put me in the attitude of serving special interests. I am only asking that you do me justice. I am asking that you do not accept mere assertions without evidence. That is all.

Stood By Shoe Men.

Now, there are a great many issues that I might further discuss with you. You have here a great many industries that are dependent on the tariff. I vetoed a bill that would have very seriously interfered with your shoe business and your leather business. I got through the free hide bill in order that you might have low raw material. Hides went up notwithstanding, but we took off the duty. Then they introduced a bill and sent it up to me by which they put shoes on the free list, and everything that went into shoes except leather they retained on the dutiable list. That would have been a fine arrangement for your shoe industries. I vetoed it. And now I am criticised all over the country because I did. They say I was hitting at the farmers' interests. We'll see about the farmer and what sort of a fair deal we gave them with respect to that: I was in favor of reciprocity with Canada and I believe I am right. I do not believe it would have hurt the farmers in the slightest. The cost of the production there is just the same as it is here, and I believe it would have been for the good of this country. But whether that be the case or not, whether you agree with me on that subject or not, Canada rejected the contract and that makes that issue dead. What was Roosevelt's course in that regard? Before I went into that contract I sent him the details of it and argued it out with him and pointed out the various arguments and ten days efore the agreement was urged he sent me a letter, saying that he had consulted with the editors of The Outlook and that they fully approved, and he commended me for such a beneficial contract, that he was in favor of free trade with Canada.

Says Teddy Changed.

He made two speeches afterwards in favor of it, and now it develops that he has the opportunity to use it against me, and he repeats his views and says he did not study it sufficiently, and now he says it is directed against the farmer, with the suggestion that I am to suffer. He has the privilege of recanting his views, not having studied it sufficiently before he made speeches in its favor. I ask you, my friends, whether you regard that as a square deal. Would Lincoln have done that under these conditions?

The Third Term Question.

I could go on, but I must cease. I have attempted to outline to you what the issue is. There is another issue that has not been mentioned, but if Roosevelt is nominated, you Republicans will hear it mentioned enough. That is the third term proposition. What Washington refused, what Jefferson refused, what Jackson refused, what Grant's friends tried to get for him, Roosevelt now asks. He said he would not take another term. That the wise tradition that limited two terms in the presidency to any man he fully approved and therefore he would not accept another nomination. Now he says he meant a nomination after a consecutive nomination, or after a term had expired when he was out of office. The tradition received its greatest support from a president that was not consecutive, in the case of Grant, though he had been four years out of office. I think that is one of the best traditions we have ever had. I would like to ask Mr. Roosevelt a question. If he accepts a third term, will he accept a fourth term? If he accepts the fourth term, why not a fifth? And they why not for life?

My friends, it is a serious issue confronting you, if you are going to put any man into the third term for the presidency, especially a man who so regards constitutional restrictions - and constitutional rights and due process of law.

I am sorry to say so, but I must say so because it is my solemn conviction, that it would be dangerous to this country to give Mr. Roosevelt another term under his views, with his views of constitutional law as I have discussed them and with his lack of understanding of what liberty is, unregulated by law. I thank you for your attention.

ROYAL WELCOME

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Gave Bouquet To Taft

Sister John, of Holy Redeemer schools, had her juvenile veterans lined up bravely along Gallia street, a battalion of them dressed in their First Communion clothes. When President Taft came by Harry Walters, one of the largest boys, carried the baby of the school, Katherine Servey, out to his car and she, with the grace of a queen, presented him with a large and beautiful bouquet, the gift of the schools. The car stopped, the president smiled his broadest, took the flowers and said: "Thank you, my dear."

Platt Was Right There

Among President Taft's locally assigned personal escort was a man almost as distinguished looking as himself. It was none other than big Armour Platt, the largest man on Portsmouth's police force. As the rotund copper kept pace alongside the president, spectators commented on the striking resemblance between the two. "Give Armour a mustache and you couldn't tell 'em apart," said one woman admirer of the strapping big policeman.

Bowed To The Children

The pupils of St. Mary's and Holy Redeemer parochial schools joined with the public schools in doing honor to President Taft. The parochial school pupils and the Sisters of St. Francis lined up in the vicinity of Gay and Gallia streets, and their enthusiasm reached such bounds that the president halted a moment to bow his acknowledgments.

Cameras Were Plentiful

Bent on getting a good picture of President Taft, an ingenious photographer placed his machine in one of the corner rooms of the Norfolk Hotel and secured several fine views of the president, as he walked down the depot platform, and as he climbed into the Williams machine. There was a merry clicking of cameras as the president pierced his way through the dense throng. The chief executive smiled expansively and the camera fiends got all kinds of good views of him. One man climbed a tree in front of the stand, and took snaps for a score of others who handed up their cameras.

Car Blocked The Way

An unfortunate blunder somewhat marred the arrival of the presidential party at the N. & W. depot.

The special had just sounded its approach, when a B. & O. S.-W. yard train came backing down Tenth street. The crowd gathered in the vicinity of the station scattered in every direction. A groan went up from its midst when the train came to a dead stop. The crowd was plainly indignant as the train practically blocked its view of the approaching train. The crossing watchman on Waller street had allowed the train within the block five minutes before the time the special was to arrive, but the target keeper at Findlay street refused to allow the freight to pass, as the special had already "whistled in." Fortunately the freight train got under way as soon as the special got in the clear, and the crowd rushed to the open space and platform in front of the station. Few, however, pressed clear down to the end of the train to see the President alight. He waved at a group of men standing on a baggage truck.

LORBERG'S GIFT TO PRESIDENT

H. A. Lorberg, the post-card man, did not propose to allow President Taft to leave Portsmouth without some memento of his visit. With characteristic thoughtfulness Mr. Lorberg made up a beautiful album of post-card views of the city and surrounding country for presentation to the President upon his arrival in the city.

The album has a specially designed cover with appropriate lettering stamped in gold and makes a most appreciable gift.

Paid Tribute To "Kids"

Perhaps the most enthusiasm exhibited along the line of march came from the throats of wee little tots of the lower school grades. Vigorously waving flags, the youngsters yelled themselves hoarse. President Taft was visibly affected and arose in his machine. He remained standing until he passed through their ranks.

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TAFT'S VISIT

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Just Waved at Sciotoville

The Taft special train did not leave Ironton until 1:15, and it was nearly 2 o'clock when it reached Sciotoville, where the president, who was busy eating lunch, simply came to the rear platform and waved to two hundred citizens at the B. & O. depot.

The special was switched over to the N. & O. tracks at this point. E. S. Saville and Frank Buck, general passenger agents of the B. & O. and Hocking Valley, was the special at Sciotoville and looked after the handling of the train on the rest of the trip which winds up at Columbus tonight.

At Wellston the president made a rear end platform speech, and his car was then switched to the Hocking Valley.

TAFT IS COMING BACK

(By Associated Press.)

Winchester, O., May 8.—When President Taft, after consultation with his political advisers, decided to come ack to Ohio, it was stated that he would spend ten days here and not return to Washington until after the Ohio Primary. He will have two rest days on this trip, Thursday which he will spend in Cleveland, where he will speak in the evening, and Sunday which he will spend in Columbus, where he will attend church. His last speech will be at Dayton on the evening of May 20. He will then go to Cincinnati where he will vote Tuesday, May 21, and on Tuesday evening he will return to Washington.

Will Stump State

(By United Press.)

Winchester, O., May 8.—President Taft will spend the last 11 days before the Ohio primaries in this state, it was announced on his special train here this morning.

The president will leave Washington for Ohio next Sunday. His first stop will be at Marietta, where he will speak Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and these will be days of hard campaigning such as Taft never put in before. Thursday and Sunday he will go to Columbus to attend church. He will wind up his campaign at Dayton Monday night. Tuesday he will go to Cincinnati to vote.

DOWN IN BLAIR'S DESERT LAND

At Winchester, Seaman and Peebles, the president was talking in Adams county, where Judge A. Z. Blair had disfranchised more than 2,000 voters, who were concerned in the vote buying and vote selling. The president did not know this at the time of his speech, until some humorously inclined man on the platform yelled: "What is he talking to those people for, they are all disfranchised."

WOMAN FAINTS, IS LIFTED BY TAFT

So far as known, President Taft kissed no pretty maidens during his stay in Portsmouth, but he did qualify for the hero stakes when he lifted a woman who had fainted in the dense crowd at Tracy Park, to the platform.

The President was in the midst of a tirade concerning Roosevelt when he noticed the woman sink to the ground. "Hand her up this way!" said the President. He stopped his address instantly and the woman was carried to the platform. The President reached down and caught the insensible woman by the shoulders. Assisted by Officers Flowers and Cooper, the President lifted her to the platform, when officers, under the direction of Wells A. Hutchins, carried her off the platform to a shady nook in Tracy park where she soon revived.

The action of the President was loudly cheered. Never were stage settings more favorable for a display of gallantry.

MAKE BRAVE SHOWING

Sister Genevieve, principal of St. Mary's schools, marshalled her pupils, several hundred strong, to receive the President, and they certainly made a brave showing. Paul Flemming, the largest boy in the school, assisted by two of the smallest ones, carried the stars and stripes, and the boys' drum corps headed the procession, which marched by twos, threes and fours, forming a long pyramid.

Little Girl Was Lost.

Little Mary Ann Bowman, of near Eleventh and Chillicothe streets, got separated from her mother during the crush at Tracy Park. The tot wandered over to Gallia street, and was taken into Dr. Jos. Bardin's home for safekeeping and police notified. About an hour later she was restored to her parents.

Started In With The Sun.

(By United Press.)

Peebles, O., May 8.—Continuing his fighting tactics against Roosevelt, but in a voice thick with cold, President Taft was out with the lark this morning to start one of the hardest days of his campaign tour.

Batavia's entire population of 2,500 was out on the railroad embankment to give Taft a drowsy greeting. There Taft repeated his denunciation of the ex-president in much the same language he used Monday. The president had very little sleep to fortify him for the 15 or more speeches he will deliver before he again sees a bed. An extra stop was made at Williamsburg, where a large crowd was out to greet the president. The train started to pull out.

"Stop the train!" ordered the president, and he spoke then for ten minutes longer. A good sized early morning crowd greeted Mr. Taft at Mt. Oreb and Sardinia, but Peebles turned out the largest and noisiest throng of the early morning.

Crowd Came From Lucasville.

The following business men from Lucasville came down to hear the president: J. B. Brant, David Brant, Clyde Brant, Calvin McKinley, James Crain, Patrick Henry, Roy Carley, John Alley and Editor L. B. Funk.

It may be said on the side that all of them were not Roosevelt men.

Precautions By The N. & W.

The N. & W. railway officials exercised every possible precaution against accidents to the presidential train. A track walker was stationed at every switch along the line between Cincinnati and Portsmouth.

On Platform.

Rev. Fathers J. E. McGuirk and F. Gloeckner, pastors of the local Catholic churches, occupied conspicuous seats on the Taft platform.

Attended Performance

Members of the Labold anniversary party Tuesday attended the second performance at the Grand in a body. They marched over to the theatre in twos, and the stylishly attired guests created considerable of a stir along the business streets.

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SHERIDAN'S RIDE

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shadow never grow less nor much larger.

A party of seven from this city went to Barden Wednesday morning, where it had been foreordained they were to meet the Taft special, which like all specials was away behind time. In the party were the following: John E. Williams, Philo S. Clark, Fred N. Tynes, George Davis, A. T. Holcomb, Andrew Glass, Linn Wittenberg and myself. Oh, yes, one more, my old friend, Reed M. Davidson, the live wire of the Irontonian.

Arriving at Barden, cigars were lighted and a traverse of the main streets begun. We walked for possibly three minutes and were then informed that we had reached the corporate limits. Returning to the center of circumference, we paid our respects to the cigar counter at Lafayette Taylor's store, Mayor Tynes doing the handsome.

We waited and waited, but at 9:35 the smoke of the special was seen and the "thing so long desired and so ardently hoped for" pulled in at the little station. President Taft was introduced by Congressman Switzer, and said in part:

"I am starting on this trip to try and get a fair deal, to try and get justice to the cause I represent. I would not be out here asking you to vote for my personal advancement or my personal ambition, but it seems to me the cause and the men I represent are entitled me to come out and speak in behalf of that cause and refute the unfounded charge against me and my administration."

Just at that time the bell on the engine clanged at a given signal from Conductor Walter Hopkins, and away the special flew, eating up the rails in record breaking time.

The next stop was at McDermott, where 200 people, men, women and children, gathered to greet the president. The train stopped, and the president simply acknowledged the greeting. He said he was sorry that he did not have time to talk to the good people who surrounded his car. "All I can say is that I am after a square deal. Good luck and good-bye."

And the train then began cutting down distance twixt McDermott and Portsmouth, the latter place being reached exactly at 10:10 o'clock, twenty-five minutes behind time.

I tell you I felt pretty big when I walked out behind the president, although my friends say that Taft so overshadowed me that nothing more than my feet will be shown in the several kodak pictures. That's all right. That's more than some people would be able to produce.

New Tile Floor Is Put Down

Contractor Philip Reeg is putting down a tile floor in the suite of offices the Kentucky Firebrick Company will occupy on the second floor of the Masonic Temple. Mr. Haldeman, who is at the head of this firm, expects to move next week.

Dr. W. W. Smith Recovering

Dr. W. W. Smith continues to recover steadily from his recent serious operation. He was able to be down town Wednesday and heard President Taft's speech. He is now able to get around with the aid of a cane.

Lusty Baby Was Born

A lusty baby daughter was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Crayton Norman, of East Gallia St. The proud daddy is employed as meat cutter at the Cresston meat market.

Car Overhauled.

Attorney Mark A. Crawford's Stoddard-Dayton car was turned out of the repair shop Wednesday looking bright as new. Mr. Crawford rents the machine which is in charge of Chauffeur Howard Elliott.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'.

CARL F. STREUBER

Who seeks the Democratic nomination for congress in this district and whom the Central Committee of Scioto county has unanimously endorsed him.

One thing that should especially commend his candidacy is that he is running for congress and nothing else. He believes he can be elected if nominated and that is why he is runing. If he should fail to get the nomination, or be beaten at the polls, that in his own words, lets him out, he will ask for no other office.

Perhaps no other Democrat in the Tenth district has as large a personal acquaintance as Streuber. He has for years and is now traveling for the Monypenny-Hammond Company and covers four counties every week.

Though now recognized as one of the most successful "drummers" in the state, he began life as a printer, worked up to circulation manager and in early manhood, after a tutelage in Portsmouth was admitted to practice law by the supreme court of Illinois.

Going back to Bond, his native county in that state, he shortly captured the Democratic nomination for prosecuting attorney over a field of candidates by a brilliant speech, each one being called before the convention. That was in 1896, the year Bryan was first nominated and Streuber obtained quite a reputation for the enthusiasm with which he advocated Bryan and his platform. It is thought he would have been elected had he not given such strenuous efforts to the cause of the Peerless Leader as the county is strongly Republican and partisan feeling was excessively wrought up that year. As it was he was beaten by only 136 votes.

He came back to Portsmouth in 1897 and has resided here ever since. He has a wife and two children, admired for their brightness and superior training.

Notwithstanding he comes from a Republican family Streuber was recognized as a Democrat years before he attained his majority and he has remained one ever since.

Things he would stand and vote for if he were in congress would be:

Money enough to convert the Ohio river into a navigable stream all the year around.

Economy in governmental expenditures.

The nomination and election of United States senators by direct vote.

A tariff for revenue only, and the placing of sugar on the free list.

A law that would eliminate monopolies.

Young Men Arrested For Annoying Girls

The young men had taken up a position near the factory and shouted at girls within the plant and made notes of names and otherwise carried on refusing to move when ordered by members of the firm. They took to their heels at the approach of Officer Smith but were overtaken in York Place. From papers found on them they are believed to hail from Kentucky.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'.

MORE LEASES ARE FILED

The firm of Donaldson and Worthington, Pittsburg operators, filed with the county recorder Wednesday one hundred and eleven additional oil and gas leases on Scioto county lands.

This brings the total number of leases on land in this county filed by the same firm in the last three months close to the 700 mark and embracing more than fifty thousand acres. The land covered by the leases filed today is located in the eastern part of the county. It is learned that this concern is hurrying along plans to start the sinking of the first of a number of test wells in the vicinity of Lucasville and it is expected that actual work will begin within a week or ten days.

IN CHARGE OF SPECIAL

Columbus, O., May 8—L. W. Brickmaster, district passenger agent of the Hocking Valley, leaves this morning for Portsmouth, where he will take charge of President Taft's special train and will be its official pilot from that point until it reaches Columbus.

NAMED BY THE JUDGE

On the representation that the Rush township school district has a bonded indebtedness for the payment of which no provision has been made by special tax, Judge Blair Wednesday appointed John Smith, Frank Waller, Orl Thompson, C. C. Butler and James Barker to serve as a board of commissioners of the sinking fund for a period of five years.

After "House cleaning" tell your Dealer to order your "Equity" Gas Range.

TO FORM SOCIETY TO FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

The organization of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be effected at the First Baptist church, opposite the new high school, next Friday evening. It is desired to make this a very effective meeting, and for that reason, every friend of the cause is invited to be present. A constitution will be adopted and officers will be elected. Hon. Henry T. Bannon, whose interest in the cause has been marked, has been asked to address the meeting, and has consented to do so.

New York has taken high rank in its fight against this dread disease, and has for its motto, "No tuberculosis in 1915."

With a systematic and intelligent fight, Scioto county can greatly reduce the loss caused by this disease. It must have, however, the united action of the people to bring the best results.

The federation clubs and physicians in the city deserve great credit for what they have done, and a large attendance of the people would be appreciated by them.

It is sincerely hoped that the impetus given to the cause at the opera house meeting will be manifest Friday night.

BUSINESS WAS FINE

The invasion of Portsmouth by so distinguished a personage as President Taft served as an impetus to business, the local stores being crowded all day with out of town buyers. Hundreds of persons were attracted here, and while in Portsmouth they looked after some shopping. The merchants report business as being unusually brisk, Wednesday.

Team No 1 Plans To Hold Meetings

Team No. 1 of the Men and Religion Forward Movement will hold an all day meeting at Otway the second Saturday in June.

Through M. H. F. Kinsey, who taught a boys' school at Williamson, W. Va., the members of Team No. One have been invited to go to Williamson and assist in the organizatio nof a Men and Religion Forward Movement. Mr. Kinsey has delivered the invitation and the team is planning to go to Williamson the second Sunday in June.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Albert M. Laue, 23, blacksmith, Edwards, Mich., and Miss Sarah J. Moore, 19, city; Squire Cullum to officiate.

Everything Quiet.

Postmaster John Harcha headed a delegation of Buena Vista citizens who came up to see President Taft. John reports everything quiet in the little down-the-river village.

WITH THE SICK

Officer Joe Stokely, whose condition has been a source of worry to relatives and friends, felt considerably improved Tuesday evening, and hopes to be on the streets again in a few days.

Ed. Garrett, who was badly hurt at the steel plant a few weeks ago, is able to be about again, but it will be some time before he can return to work.

Miss Marjorie Thomas, who has been very ill for some time past, is able to be about again.

May Lily, eldest daughter of Frank Switalski, Jr., has been ill for the past few days at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Switalski, Sr., of Findlay street, where she has been staying during the illness of her mother.

Michael Gleason, well known N. & W. conductor, who was taken ill some days ago, is now reported in a very precarious condition at his home in Cincinnati.

Miss Brucie Rigdon, of East Seventh street, is ill, threatened with fever.

No particulars have been received by local relatives as to the extent of the injuries suffered by Walter Munyon in an accident at the Marion Steam Shovel works. John Munyon, of near Wheelersburg, father of the injured man, left early Tuesday for Marion on being notified of the accident.

Mrs. Mary Williams, who makes her home with her niece, Mrs. Hattie Warnock, of Seventh and Adams streets, and who fell Sunday and broke her hip, was resting easier Wednesday morning. She had a most restful night and her relatives feel encouraged.

Rachel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pace, of 904 Sixth street, is very ill with muscular rheumatism.

Miss Iva Cooper, who has been confined in the Hempstead hospital for the past six weeks with typhoid fever, was taken to the Washington Hotel, Saturday, where her father met her Monday and tooke her to her former home in Kentucky.

Miss Ella Eashom, of Campbell avenue, was taken to Hempstead hospital, Monday, suffering with a complication of diseases.

Captain Jasper Cook, aged retired steam boatman, who suffered a paralytic stroke some months ago, was able to visit his former haunts in the West End, Wednesday. He walks with the aid of a cane.

Sunnyside Addition.

The owners of Sunnyside addition have been conferring with the public service department officials the past few days regarding gas and water main extensions to their land. They expect to erect about twenty houses this summer and are anxious to have gas and water connections as early as possible. The city officials are disposed to meet their request and the matter has also been taken up with the gas company.

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MASONIC

Aurora Lodge F. & A. M. will meet Thursday evening, May 9 at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree.

WANTED

WANTED:—At old Blade Office, 525 Second St. to buy sell or exchange all kinds of new and second hand goods, ladies' and gent's wearing apparel and Excelsior returned shoes a specialty. We lead in prices. Home phone B 987. G. M. Warder. 8-4

WANTED—An experienced gardener and one who can take care of horses and cows. Must be strictly sober and have good references. Herms Floral Co. 8-3

WANTED — Two waitresses at Manhattan restaurant. 7-3t

WANTED — Five hundred paper hangers and decorators to use our No. 10 paste at $2.00 per barrel. Buckeye Paste Co., Columbus, O. 6-6t

WANTED:—30,000 people to get their lunch and meals at 111 Market St Up-to-date meals. 6-6

WANTED — Girl or woman for general housework; good wages. Apply 1703 Timmonds avenue. 6-tf

WANTED — Experienced baker. Imperial Tea Co., 607 Second street. 6-tf

WANTED — Boarders at 552 Nineteenth street, Timmonds avenue. 6-tf

WANTED — Woman to do washing by the day; 1917 Grandview. 6-3t

WANTED:— Girl for general house work 314 Waller St. 6-2

WANTED:—At once competent cook at Gray's restaurant. 4-3

WANTED:—Men roomers. 1802 Grant St. 4-4

WANTED:— To do carpenter and repair work. Phone Y 1319 23-tf

WANTED:—Carpentering and jobbing of all kinds; also screen work. Chas. Clevenger, 1215 9th St. Home phone 554. 2-6

WANTED:—To buy young horse, weight about 1100 pounds. Saunders-Watrous Co. 5-tf

WANTED:—Painting and paper hanging. W. C. Rudy. Phone X 878. 924 Third. 4-tf

WANTED—Paper hanging, wall paper cleaning and decorating. Al Reiniger. Home phone Y 1267. 11-tf

WANTED:— Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home Phone 490. 20-tf

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected, large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co. Rooms 6, 7, and 8, 613 Chillicothe St. Home phone A-1187. Cut this out.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able-bodied, unmarried men between ages 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 603 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio. july 1 1912

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FOR SALE

Four room cottage on Eighth street near Gallia. Gas, basement and cistern $1650

Modern 6 room two story house on 20th Street. Nice lot $2500

Modern new 5 room cottage on Baird Avenue. Lot 40x125 ft., street assessments paid. Easy terms. $2600

Modern 6 room two story house on Baird Ave. Easy terms. $3000

Four room cottage on Robinson Ave. Water and gas. $1400

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WANTED:—Any kind of carpenter repair work to do. Call John Zeisler, 621 Market St. Phone Y 716. 8-3

WANTED: —Experienced salesladies at once. Atlas Trading Co. 8-3

MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET:—Good pasture on Dry Run for cattle, particularly for dry cows for saving expense in keep. For particulars apply to G. A. Flagg, Portsmouth R. F. D. No. 1. 4-8-11-15-18-22-25

TALK WITH DEAN AND GET YOUR MONEY. 26-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Striking machine and baby rack in good condition at 1120 3rd St. 6-6

FOR SALE:—The Hyatt storehouse property, northwest corner 11th and Railroad. Price reasonable.

Store house and 5 living rooms, now occupied by restaurant opposite N. & W. depot, 10th St. Will consider trade.

Good 8 room house, hardwood floors, gas, bath and electricity, 1716 Gallia Street. Price $5500.

3 room house 1706 Gallia St. Gas. Lot 30x120 ft. Price $1600.

New 5 room cottage, gas, water, bath room not completed. Lot 30x120. Northwest corner 18th and Oakland. See F. H. Fritts. Phone A 645. 7-tf

FOR SALE:—Surrey in good condition. 1510 Franklin Ave. 7-3

FOR SALE — 26½ acres, well watered; two houses. Brewery Hollow. Jns. P. Herron. 6-6t

FOR SALE — Tomato plants. Call 601 Market, or Phone B-716. 6-3t

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Fine modern 6-room home centrally located, hardwood floors, finish and sliding doors, 3 cabinet mantels, basement, 48-ft. front; $1.00 cash.. $4,200

Good 6-room house near Chillicothe St., water, gas, cistern, large barn, street assessments all paid..... $2,900

Fine modern, well-built 8-room house, East 4th St., a fine home, large barn $5,500

Good 8-room house East 2nd street; 70 foot front $3,000

Good 7-room house, E. 2nd st. $4,000

Good 7-room house, water gas, cistern, 42-ft. front, above high water $2,800

Fine modern 8-room house on 9th St., a fine location, large lot; a bargain $4,000

Modern 8-room home, E. 9th, near Offnere; $300 cash $4,000

Good well-built 5-room cottage, 9th St., near Offnere; large rooms, closets, pantry, cistern, stable, good lot.. $3,000

Fine modern 6-room house on hill, hardwood floors and finish, large lot, fine location; will trade $3,800

Modern 7-room cottage on Franklin Ave., large lot, large barn, a fine home; easy terms $3,500

Good 4-room cottage on Grant St., gner barn, large lot $2,000

Good 6-room house, bath complete, Vinton and Hutchins; cheap at.. $3,500

Fine 5-room cottage near Grant St., bath complete, sliding doors, vestibule, large lot, rents for $20..... $3,000

Fine 4-room cottage, Oakland Ave., large rooms, pantry, two cabinet mantels, newly painted and papered; rents for $16 ..... $2,100

Good 5-room cottage with bath complete, large lot, Offnere St..... $3,000

Good 5-room, 2-story house on hill, water, gas, cistern, large lot.... $2,000

Good 4-room house, water and gas, Timmonds Ave., near car line, street assessments paid $1,200

New 4-room cottage, East 7th St., water, gas, cabinet mantel, cement walks and steps; $300 cash..... $1,050

Good 4-room cottage, East 7th., water, gas $1,250

Good 4-room cottage near Chillicothe St., water and gas $1,200

Good 5-room house, Union St., water, gas, cistern, large barn; cash $300 $1,200

Good 3-room cottage, Murray St., water, gas, cistern, barn; cash $100 $1,000

Good 3-room cottage, East 6th St., $200 cash $700

Good 6-room house, 8th St., water, gas, cistern, stable; a bargain.. $1,750

Lots on 18th St., near Oakland Ave., 177 feet deep, fine for chickens or garden; per foot $20.00

Fine 50-ft. lot, 18th St., near Waller $4,000

37-ft. lot on Timmonds Ave.... $900

Many good lots still left in Timmonds Addition. Prices right. Finest building site in the city.

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FOR SALE:—5 room house with store room combined in Sciotoville Good outbuildings Corner lot, central part of town. Address George Rideout, Sciotoville, O. 8-6

FOR SALE:—Young sow and 2 pigs. Cheap if sold at once. Apply C. W. Reinoehl, Brewery Hollow or at post office. 81

FOR SALE:—Farm, 180 acres, 6 miles northeast of Sciotoville. Twelve room brick house and good outbuildings. Call on John and Orin Boyer, Wheelersburg, O. 6-3d 1-w

FOR SALE:—In whole or part, about seven acres on Chillicothe Pike, three miles from city. Large fishing camp on Scioto River. W. L. Questel. 6-3

FOR SALE:—Silk poodles. At Southwest corner 6th and Gay. 6-6

FOR SALE — Good driving horse and buggy. Mrs. William Wameer, 1235 Third street. Phone X-795. 6-6t

FOR SALE — Horses either 2 or 4 years old. William Kraft, Otway, O. 6—6d-2w

FOR SALE — Five passenger automobile; 1911 Model; No. 1 condition. Box 77. 6-3

FOR SALE — Bay horse, weighs 1,300; works double or single; 12 years old. W. B. Smith, Siloam, Ky. 7-5t

FOR RENT — Two rooms down stairs, rear of flat, No. 537 Second street; water, gas, cellar and cistern; $5.00 per month in advance; no children. 7-3t

FOR SALE — Six room house complete; with bath, large reception hall and pantry; 1544 Logan avenue; phone Y 1143. 7-3t

FOR SALE — Wagon, also 12 lard barrels; 836 Gallia. 6-tf

FOR SALE:—Singer Sewing Machines from $4.00 up. At 618 Gay St. 3-6

FOR SALE: — Thoroughbred White Wyandotte and Single Comb Brown Leghorn Eggs for hatching, $1.00 per 15. At 328 East 4th. H. Sutton. Home phone A 1473. 24-tf

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5-room 2-story house, large cistern, E. 9th St., west of Kendall Ave..... $1500

4-room cottage (old number) 514 E. 9th St., gas and water $1500

4-room cottage (old number) 228 Robinson Ave $1200

5-room cottage (new number)734 11th St., gas and water $1200

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FOR SALE:—Pedigreed English Setter Pups $5 and $10. Call 112 Gallia. 8-3

FOR SALE:—Fine cabbage and tomatoe plants. Geo Geis, 1311 Kinney St. 8-3

FOR SALE:—6 room two story house on Hill; reception hall and open stair way; first floor finished in oak; gas, bath complete, cellar, cistern and two story stable. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone B 922. 8-5

FOR SALE:—Team of horses. 502 8th St. Dennis Mershon. 8-6

FOR SALE:—Good cream and butter Jersey cow cheap. Pasture free for two months with sale. Home Phone B 1037. 8-3

FOR SALE:—Rhode Island Reds Call Henry Gibbs, South Portsmouth. 8-2

FOR SALE:—Seven new houses at 18th and Summit Sts. Bargains if sold at once. See M. O. Duduit. Residence A 1183. 300 Masonic Temple. 8-5

FOR SALE:—Gas range. Cheap. Good as new 1829 7th St. Phone Y 1161. 8-2

FOR SALE:—The entire furnishings of the Hotel Allison at New Boston of 25 rooms. Call on Mrs. Allison or phone 8 on 673. 8-3

FOR SALE:—Buff Orphington eggs for setting. 813 Murray. 8-3

FOR SALE:—6 rooms, bath complete, barn, empty and ready to move into. Gallia street, East of Lincoln.

Eleven room house, full of boarders on Findlay street.

A six room house on 20th St. near Timmonds.

8 room modern house furnished at 40 East Ninth. All big bargains. Phone X 962. H. A. Bierley. 4-6

FOR SALE:—Fine tomato plants 71 W. 9th St. 4-tf

FOR SALE:—Kellerstrass White Orpington Eggs for setting. Phone B 1186, 312 East Third St. 13-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Good pasture, 2 miles above Wheelersburg. Well watered, reasonable rates. Known as the Mayhew farm. Address J. H. Lewis, Franklin Furnace, O. 8-6

FOR RENT — Furnished room with all conveniences for one or two gentlemen; 946 Second street. 7-2t

FOR RENT:—Room at No. 725 Fourth St. (old number 21 W. Fourth.) 6-3

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. At 1020 Gallia 7-3

FOR RENT — Modern 8-room house, centrally located. Phone 236, or call 60 East Second St. 6-tf

FOR RENT — Furnished front room, centrally located; 602 Union. Mrs. E. D. Poffenbarger. 6-3t

FOR SALE

4-Room house, lot 34x126; price... $800
1 Lot 33½x108; Front St.; price.. $225
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(Signed) JESSE BROWN 8-1

BUILDING PERMITS

Mrs. Anna M. Arbogast secured a permit Wednesday to erect a 6 room residence at No. 1014 Findlay street to cost $1200.

Permits were issued to Irving Drew for a sanitary sewer tap at the rear of No. 1416 Fourth street and to W. S. Sellards for a sanitary tap at the rear of No. 2327 Gallia.

NEW THEATRE IS A DANDY

The opening of the Scenic theatre Tuesday night was a big success, the new place of amusement being crowded all evening. The pictures were very good and Arthur Boynton sang in his usual pleasing manner.

FOR RENT:—New 4 room house at 718 Kendall avenue $10 per month; rent in advance. Phone B 193. 8-tf

FOR RENT:—Six room flat with all modern conveniences. Inquire 637½ Second St. or phone 1414. 8-1

FOR RENT:—Two large connecting rooms in Elk building; heat and water. Apply at office of H. S. Grimes. 8-tf

FOR RENT:— Furnished rooms with bath. Gentlemen preferred. 84 East Second. 7-3

FOR RENT—One large furnished front room, suitable for two gentlemen, with use of bath and phone. 1117 3rd St. 7-2

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping and one bed room. Call 711 John St. 7-tf

FOR RENT — Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with all conveniences at 529 Third street. 6-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. Phone and bath. 23 West 3rd. 1-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for two gentlemen, all conveniences, 709 John St. 29-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with bath at 724 Third St. 4-tf

LOST

LOST:— Hand bag containing money. Return to 1150 Fourth for reward. 7-3

LOST — Bunch of keys. Finder return to Jacob Linck, Chillicothe street, for reward. 6-3t

LOST:—Pocket book containing $20 in small change at Ye Old Mill Monday night. Finder return at once to 111 Market. 8-tf

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Has Sold His Farm

Phil Kratzer has sold his farm at Mt. Joy, known as the Carter place, to a Florida man, the deal being put through by R. S. Reeder, Harden real estate man.

Mr. Kratzer will give possession at once and move his family to Cincinnati, where he has a good position.

Funk On Rampage

Mrs. James Funk complained to the police Wednesday afternoon that her husband, who had just recently returned from Athens, was again on a rampage. She thought he was frequenting East Fifth saloons and feared he would do her bodily harm when he returned home. Officer Dixon was detailed to investigate.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'.

Paid Fine Dividend

The Portsmouth Banking Company on Wednesday paid its semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. The down-town bank is one of the growing institutions of Portsmouth.

Twins Are, Right Here

Twins, a boy and girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hill, who reside on the Colo farm on the West Side. The babies arrived Tuesday night and are doing nicely.

ARE SHY ON WORKERS

Owing to the scarcity of female help at the Portsmouth Shoe company plant, a number of the departments are running slack. The company is unable to get out its orders in sufficient quantities, owing to help being needed in the fitting department.

The lasting, bottoming and packing departments are working slack but the company hopes to have the slack departments on full time by the first of next week. The fitting and cutting departments are running full, but more help is needed to get out the work.

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OBITUARY

Philip F. Semmelbeck.

After a brave fight, during which he bore his sufferings with true Christian fortitude, Philip F. Semmelbeck answered the final summons at the home of his widowed mother, Mrs. Mary A. Semmelbeck, of Ninth street, Tuesday evening at 8:30.

Death was due to tuberculosis, with which Mr. Semmelbeck had been afflicted for the past two years. His condition had been critical for some weeks past, and the end came as a welcome relief to the sufferer, fortified with the last sacraments of the Catholic church, of which he had always been a faithful member.

Philip Semmelbeck was 27 years of age, born in this city the eldest son of John Semmelbeck, a tailor who dropped dead in the J. Eisman & Company's establishment, 13 years ago. He was a shoe cutter by trade, working for seven years at the Excelsior factory, and for a year in St. Louis. He was also employed at the Portsmouth steel plant, and it was while working there that his health failed him. Philip was a good and companionable young man, and his untimely death is sincerely mourned by his many friends. Besides the mother, he is survived by two brothers, John and Albert Semmelbeck. He was a member of St. Joseph's court, Catholic Order of Foresters, which will attend the funeral. No definite arrangements have as yet been made for the same, pending the arrival of an aunt, Mrs. Louisa Darnell, of Pittsburg, but it will take place from St. Mary's church Friday or Saturday morning.

Lordier

Xavier Lordier received word Wednesday of the death at Erie, Pa., of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Hester Lordier, aged 62, the wife of Louis Lordier, a former Portsmouth shoemaker.

Mrs. Lordier had been suffering for some time with cancer. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons and as many daughters. The family moved from here to Erie, Pa., twelve years ago, the sons engaging in the retail shoe business there while the father did repairing in their store. The remains of Mrs. Lordier will be brought to the home of the brother-in-law, on Sixth street Friday and burial will take place in the Holy Redeemer cemetery.

Two well dressed young men giving the names of Ray Queen and William Davis were arrested Wednesday afternoon for annoying girl employees of the Patterson box factory.

Semmelbeck Funeral

The funeral services of the late Philip Semmelbeck will take place Saturday morning at 8:30 from the St. Mary's church. Interment will be made in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Harriet Walden

Mrs. Harriet Walden, wife of Charles Walden, of Sciotoville, died at her home at noon Wednesday, May 8, after a short illness with acute Bright's disease, after an attack of the grip.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon, at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. W. Weiser. The burial will take place in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Walden was 61 years of age. Her maiden name was Miss Harriet Coalgrove, and she was born in Harrisonville. When quite a young girl she was married to Charles Walden, who with nine children survive her. The children are: Frank, Charles, Carey, Clarence, William, Howard, Bertha, Cora, and Maggie. She also leaves one brother and a sister and a number of relatives at Harrisonville.

Mrs. Walden was a kind and loving wife and mother. She was devoted to her family, but always found time for kind deeds to her neighbors and friends. She was a member of the Methodist church and until illness prevented was a constant member.

RIVER NEWS.

The Steel City passed up Monday morning with one of the biggest freight trips for Pittsburg that has been carried upstream in several months. With the Queen City out, the service between Pittsburg, Pomeroy and Cincinnati will be greatly improved That will make with the Ohio three packets in the Pittsburg and Cincinnati trade, respectively and two in the Greene line between Pomeroy and Cincinnati.—Gallipolis Tribune.

Packet owners expect the passenger business to boom in the Pittsburg and Cincinnati trade by June 1st. Excursionists are already securing reservations in advance at Pittsburg. The Ohio, Capt. Maddy's packet, will carry her share during the season. The river trip can not be surpassed for scenery and safety. —Gallipolis Tribune.

Lawn Mowers—Stahler's.

Plasterer Drunk

John Fagan, a drunken plasterer, staggered about the homes of John Dice, Dr. W. E. Gault and Dr. E. C. Jackson, Wednesday afternoon. He was just starting into the Dr. Gault yard when Officer Smith placed him under arrest. James Koger, a Negro, was also arrested on a drunkenness charge by Officer Clark on Wednesday afternoon.

Big Tree Is Disabled

One of the big trees in front of T. C. Anderson's home on East Fourth street partly tumbled down Tuesday. A tree doctor is on the job and is trying to save it by giving it a hypodermic, so to speak. The trunk is being braced as the tree is a valuable one.

HOMER DURAND IN THE CITY

Homer Durand, the noted Cincinnati attorney, who was one of the principal speakers for the Wets during the local option campaign, was in the city Wednesday. It was said his visit had no significance.

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SOCIETY FASHION

Dr. Walter Daehler, who has just served out his time as an interne at the city hospital in Cincinnati, is expected home Saturday. Dr. Daehler is as yet undecided as to whether he will locate here or not.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the German Methodist church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Bertha Grieser of Park avenue.

Miss Maud Brady, of Greenup, Ky., who has been the guest of Miss Alberta Simon and Miss Grace Morris, of Union street, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Brady and daughter, Miss Gracie, of Greenup, Ky., who have been here calling on friends and shopping, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Nagel will entertain a few friends at six o'clock dinner Thursday evening at the Manhattan Hotel in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Mary White Slater, of Ironton, a sister of Mrs. Cecil S. Miller of this city, has issued a call to the ladies of Ironton who consider the political enfranchisement of their sex a human right and a needed instrument of moral duty for the uplift of society, to attend a meeting at the Board of Trade rooms in that city Thursday night at 7 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to form a suffragist organization which will be affiliated with the state organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marx, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meyer and Mr. Nate Meyer, who were here to attend the sixtieth wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Labold, yesterday, returned to their home in Columbus. Messrs. J. and I. Hirschman, of Detroit, Michigan, and Mrs. E. Longini and daughters, Pauline and Lena, of Cincinnati, who also attended the celebration, returned to their home today.

An announcement which will come as a great surprise to a large circle of friends and acquaintances in this city is that of the marriage of Miss Grace Jones, the adopted daughter of Mrs. Margaret Wilson, of Greenfield, and Mr. Everett Taylor of the same city, which took place Monday evening in Hillsboro. The bride's mother desired the young people to delay the marriage for a time, but they were of a different opinion, and so surprised their relatives and friends. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside with the bride's mother. Mrs. Taylor is a niece of Miss Bertha Gillilan of this city, and will be pleasantly remembered as her attractive visitor on several occasions.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shelpman Kirkendall, of Scioto ville, O., celebrated her 96th birthday May 4th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eliza Hensley, with whom she has resided for many years. Mrs. Kirkendall was born in Union Township, Scioto county, O., May 4, 1816. She was married to John Kirkendall when 19 years of age. Fourteen children were born to them, all of whom are dead, except Mrs. Hensley, of Scioto ville, and Mr. George Kirkendall, of Des Moines, Iowa. Her husband died many years ago. She united with the Regular Baptist church at the age of 14 years and always attended worship when able to do so. She has remained true to her faith, and often, at her advanced age, will sing old-time hymns. She is able to be about the house and premises, enjoys her meals and does not use glasses. She is tenderly cared for in her declining years by her daughter, Mrs. Hensley.

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The date of the Troubadour Amusement Company's engagement here under the auspices of the Elks, is Thursday, May 23. The concert which begins at 8 o'clock and ends at 9:30, is to be followed by dancing. There will be several card tables for those who wish to play and the evening, too, is to be made a memorable one in local Elkdom. Refreshments will be served under the supervision of the social committee, which includes the Messrs. L. P. Haldeman, Clarence Nodler and F. M. B. Corson.

Mrs. Vernon Fridley, of West Fourth street, returned last night from Ironton, where she has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. E. E. Corn for several days.

A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Old Ladies' Home was held Tuesday night at the Home. Routine matters were taken up and discussed, but no business of importance was transacted.

The Dalton Auction Bridge Club met today with Mrs. Frank Adams, at her residence on East Fifth street. Mrs. Guy Williams, Mrs. John Heer and Miss Elizabeth Watkins played in the places of absent members.

The Milzpah Kensington club met this afternoon with Mrs. William Haggerty, the following members being present: Mesdames W. E. Evans, O. N. Barnhart, Roy Prather, Charles Millison, Frank Emmert, Jesse Beck, Elmer Knost, W. D. Cunningham, L. Rheinfrank, C. I. Cheney and Gus Meade. Following the sewing the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Knost.

Mrs. J. L. Trauthers returned last night from Dayton, where she attended the state meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The Thimble club was entertained this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Charles Krauser, on Glover street. The following members enjoyed the delightful hospitality extended by Mrs. Krauser: Mesdames Fred Jones, Louis Russell, James Williams, Harry Cranston, Harry Blazer and John Dolphar. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Louis Russell.

The Young Ladies' Sewing club will meet Friday afternoon with Miss Emma Johnson.

The Scioto Bridge Club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Chris Heer at her residence on East Sixth street.

The [illegible] will be held at Brooklyn Park on Wednesday. A class of [illegible] will graduate.

Prof. Harry B. [illegible] of the Ohio University, and Miss [illegible] were married at Athens last week.

Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Stanley Vernon and Mrs. Charles Richards of Fourth street.

The Tuesday Afternoon Thimble club met yesterday with the home of Mrs. [illegible] on East Eleventh street. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. [illegible] secretary. Mrs. Hugh Parker was elected last week president for the first time and [illegible] The following members were present: Mesdames Charles Dix, [illegible] Will Yuenger and Mrs. [illegible]

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Austill; also the following members: Mesdames Elizabeth Micklethwait, Mary Rice, Jacob Lauerman, Lucy Grant, Margaret Hummell, Jennie Martin and Miss Kate Reinhardt.

The following program will prove of interest to those anticipating attending the song recital to be given by Mr. Edgar P. Chipman, on the afternoon of May fifteenth, at the residence of Mrs. B. G. Harris, 1409 Offnere street:

(a) "Frohlingslied (O Lovely Spring)—W. Coenen.
(b) "E Ver" (Tis True)—F. Champana.
(c) "At Twilight"—Ethelbert Nevin.
(c) "Jean"—H. T. Burleigh.
(d) "Le Cor" (The Horn—A. Piegier.
(a) "Little Boy Blue.
(b) "Mighty lak a Rose"—Ethelbert Nevin.
c) "Recitative and Aris" (Un Ballo in Maschera) "Eri Tu"—Giuseppe Verdi.
Social quarter of an hour.
(a) "The Sword of Ferrara"—Frederick T. Bullard.
b) "Vision Fugitive (Herodiade) Massenet.
(c) Song, "Kathleen Mavourneen"—F. N. Crouch.
(d) Song, "In a Rose Garden"—Edgar P. Chipman.
(e) Old Irish Song, "Killarney"—M. W. Balfe.

Miss Goldie Shumate went to Oak Hill today to attend the High school Alumni banquet.

Mrs. John Brushart went to Huntington, W. Va., today for a visit of several days with Mrs. Will Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Donaldson arrived yesterday from Flint, Michigan, to reside in this city, Mr. Donaldson having secured a splendid position with the Heer Engine company. For the present they will reside with Mrs. Donaldson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daehler, of East Eighth street.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Martin are preparing to move the first of next week to the J. F. Strayer property on West Sixth street, which Dr. Martin recently purchased. For the present Mr. Strayer and daughter, Miss Katherine, will have rooms with Dr. and Mrs. Martin.

Mr. Robert Bryan went to Detroit, Michigan, yesterday to attend the National Store Association, which convenes there this week.

Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Chase returned today from a brief visit with relatives in Scioto ville. They were accompanied home by their nieces, Misses Alice and Temperance Sherman.

The next meeting of the Tuesday club will be held with Mrs. Louis Corson.

The Wheelersburg commencement exercises will be held May 17. There are eight members to be graduated this year and an interesting program is being prepared.

The graduates are Charles Sauer, Louis Lang, Lucille Maher, Inez Miller, Bessie Ach, Eunice Smith, Anna Cranston and Darline Hacklin.

Maurice Briggs Is An Atheletic Star

Maurice Briggs, a well-known local young man, was the bright particular star of the Ohio State University against Notre Dame track meet held at Columbus last Saturday.

It was Briggs' brilliant work that enabled the Ohio State squad to cop a majority of the events, thus defeating their strong rivals by the close score of 59 to 58.

Murdock, Leo and Rogers were the other members of the Ohio State squad that shared with Briggs the honors won. The Columbus papers Sunday contained some exceedingly complimentary notices concerning Briggs' great work. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Briggs, of this city.

Club Bowlers Will Have Fine Banquet

As a fitting aftermath to the successful season of The Club Bowling league, the Board of Directors decided to banquet the members of that organization.

The affair will be held at Seel's hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when the thirty or more members of the league will dine sumptuously. Rev. E. Ainger Powell, rector of All Saints church, and president of the club, together with Mr. Ford Haldeman, director of athletics at the club, will be the guests of honor and will no doubt give very interesting talks to the assembled guests.

NEW COURT HOUSE ISSUE DEFEATED

The negative side won the debate at Trinity church Tuesday night, when the Young Men's Debating Society held a meeting in the basement of the church.

The subject for debate was: "Resolved: That the voters of Scioto county vote to issue bonds for $200,000 to build a new court house."

On the affirmative side were Paul Toner, Paul Stockham and Russell McCurdy.

On the negative side were Arthur Beumler, Crawford, Fisher and Charles Donaldson.

The judges were John T. Breece, Alfred Stewart and Ferd Warner.

The affirmative decided that the present house was no account, the public demanded a better one, civic pride should be enough to fight for another court house and the county was well able to afford it.

The negative side argued that with a few improvements the present court house should be all right. It would be better to spend the $200,000 on good roads, tuberculosis hospital, city water works and other improvements that would benefit more Scioto county residents.

MAN BITTEN BY A DOG BECOMES MAD

Charles Hunt, a Camp Creek, Pike county man, was bitten by a mad dog that passed through that section the other day. Tuesday rabies developed and last night the victim's condition grew so serious that he was rushed to the Pasteur Institute at Columbus for treatment. The incident has created great excitement in that vicinity, as the infected dog bit several other canines, as well as stock, and as a result all dogs are being slain.

Rarden Visitors

Squire James N. Kates, of Rarden, and his grandson, Floyd Alfro, who is home from the U. S. Navy on a ten days' furlough, came to town Wednesday to witness the Taft demonstration and visit his sons, W. A. and Clyde Kates. Young Alfro is a fireman on the U. S. S. Reid, which is a torpedo boat destroyer. The ship is now at the Norfolk navy yards.

Will Teach The Teachers

Rev. T. H. McAfee will teach the Sunday school teachers of the First Baptist church tonight (Wednesday) at 8:15 o'clock. The lesson will be on the text to be taught next Sunday. All outsiders and other teachers are invited to attend the meeting.

Will Quit It.

Division Superintendent J. T. Carey of the N. & W., in a letter to Service Director John M. Williams, assures that official that the practice of dumping garbage from his private car at Tenth and Offnere streets will be promptly abated. Mr. Carey was unaware of the practice until formal complaint had been made to him.

On Business.

Henry Gibbs of South Portsmouth, Ky., was in the city Wednesday on business.

This Recipe Won A Cash Prize

It was submitted by a prominent society woman of this city in the recent prize contest for use of

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HAMMER AND PAINT

H. A. Bierley will soon begin the erection of a modern six-room house on Franklin avenue. The necessary permit was taken out Monday.

The Pure Drug Company are installing a new ice cream plant at their store on Chillicothe street, which, when completed, will be one of the finest in the city.

Bids for the construction of the new plant the Pure Milk Company will erect on Gallia street, will be opened Wednesday by Architects Devoss and Patterson. A number of bids have been submitted.

The directors of the Hanson Company have not as yet definitely agreed upon plans for improving the Kendall block, which they purchased some time ago. There is a likelihood of the company postponing the improvements until next year.

Screen Doors—Stahler's.

Women of Portsmouth Marvel at Valeska Suratt's Beauty Secrets

Beauty Chat by Valeska Suratt, the World's Famous Self-Made Beauty-Actress.

My heart feels elated at the gladness which I have brought to so many of my sisters. I little realized how great would be the response to my little beauty-chats which have been appearing in these columns every Wednesday. In the mail I see gratitude in every line, not only for the secrets themselves which I have given them, but because of the splendid results which they have enjoyed from them.

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From the first, of course, I knew what these results would be. It was impossible for it to be otherwise. As I open my mail, I read a dear letter from Beulah, which reads: "This morning I was astonished, no less than my daughter, who remarked upon the almost miraculous disappearance of most of the wrinkles in my forehead. And the crow's feet are almost gone. I can hardly realize it."

Another bubbles forth this way from Annabelle: "My sister used to think she had a queenly complexion. Mine was only ordinary. Now, in only two weeks time, mine makes hers look almost like a pear-skin alongside of a delicately-tinted rose. I am just as happy as a lark. You are my dearest benefactor."

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I am happy for your sake, Beulah and Annabelle, and for all the other dear friends who have shown such confidence in me, and gratitude for what I have endeavored to do.

There have been many requests for a hair-remover which will not burn or irritate the skin. I can do no better than give you what I use myself, and I know you will be just as much elated as I was at the result after trying nearly everything known. This treatment is remarkable for several reasons. It leaves very little if any trace of that strong odor which makes other depilatories so disagreeable. Besides, it leaves the skin pure, clear and soft, just like a baby's.

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At any drug store you should be able to get what is called auto solution. It will cost you one dollar, but it will last you quite a while. Apply this solution freely with the finger tips on the hair you want removed. Keep the hair moist with it until it has dissolved, which will take but two or three minutes. Then wipe off with a towel, damp cloth and wash the skin with warm water, and apply a cold cream. The action of this solution is almost magic.

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Many requests have also been received for an ideal shampoo for the hair. No more delightful hair cleaner exists than the following. Dissolve one teaspoonful of egg in half a cup of hot water. When entirely dissolved and the solution has become lukewarm, pour onto the hair and shampoo in the usual manner. It makes an exquisite lather. After rubbing it well into the scalp so it is perfectly clean, wash the hair thoroughly with plenty of warm water, and rinse with cold water. The condition of the hair after using this shampoo is delightful. No other word can express it. It makes the hair silky, easy to handle and eliminates every particle of dirt and grit that sometimes mars the gloss and sheen. The druggist will let you have the egg for not more than twenty-five cents.

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DEBORAH K. asks how to get rid of dandruff. The formula for this appeared in these columns last Wednesday, but I will repeat it here, as it is the most effective dandruff remover I have ever known. Take half a pint of water, add half a pint of alcohol. To this add one ounce of bay rum. Shake thoroughly, and it will then be ready to use. If you prefer you can use imported bay rum instead of the water and alcohol.

The ingredients you can get at almost any store for not more than fifty cents. The ordinary prepared hair tonics which you buy in the stores usually cost you a dollar. But this formula makes a good full pint of the best hair grower and it cost you much less than a dollar.

This formula should be applied very freely after brushing the scalp generously for a few minutes all over. Rub the tonic thoroughly into the scalp with the finger tips.

After a while you will see the dandruff almost completely gone, and it will then vanish permanently.

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NAOMI wants to know how to get rid of muddy complexion and the ordinary sporty skin that so many complain of. If Naomi will try my formula she will be thankful the rest of her days. It makes the skin positively to a remarkable degree soft and pure and white.

Buy half a dozen of wintergreen and two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Keep stirring, while adding one ounce of glycerine, until it is all dissolved. Then let it cool. If the cream is too thick to pour easily from a bottle, thin it down a little with more hot water. The cream will be white and silky. After bathing in the morning, hold a wet hot towel in the face several times for several minutes. Rub this cream on the entire face liberally and let this again at night. Any druggist will let you have sufficient for about fifty cents.

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JUNE BRIDE complains that she has tried many things for wrinkles without success, but if she will use the following, even her husband will notice the striking difference in a short time:

In one-half pint of boiling water, put two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. In a few minutes add two ounces of epsol and continue stirring until it is dissolved. At first it will look like jelly, then it will start to cream. When it does this, remove from the fire and stir constantly until cold. Keep in air-tight jar. You should be able to get epsol at any good drug store and it should not cost you more than fifty cents.

This is ideal also for wrinkled hands and sagging cheeks. Rub in well until the cream disappears. This cream will not grow hair.

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TROUBLED asks the same question that thousands of women would like to know. Can she be developed? The answer will be found in the following formula:

In a half-pint of hot water, dissolve two ounces of quassine and half a pound of sugar, all stirred together. Of this, take two teaspoonfuls three or four times a day in a wine glass of water, after your meals. The druggist will let you have the mixture for a dollar.

Those who will use this will be eloquent in their praises of this remarkable secret. The development will be very materially assisted by massaging the bust with the epsol cream mentioned above.

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CONNEL ESTATE HAS WON A BIG LAWSUIT

The Irontonian says:

"The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Connell, former residents of this city and Portsmouth, but now of Chicago, will be pleased to learn that Mr. Connell and other members of the Connell family have by the courts of West Virginia been declared the owners of the mineral rights in land at Blue Creek, W. Va., twelve miles back of Charleston, where oil was recently struck in great quantities.

"It seems that years ago Mr. Dan Connell's father, Dan Connell, Sr., now deceased, became interested in land near Charleston, and among his purchases were 200 acres on Elk River at Blue Creek. He later sold the land, but reserved the mineral rights. The man who purchased the land afterwards sold it, and the new purchasers thought they owned the mineral rights, and when the oil was struck in such paying quantities were naturally greatly elated and declined to acknowledge the claim of the Connell heirs. The case was taken to court and a few days ago a decision was awarded in favor of the Connell estate.

"On the strip of land in dispute there are already six wells sunk which produce a revenue for the owners of over $1,000 a day and twenty-four more wells are to be sunk at an early date. In the one hundred wells already sunk in the vicinity but one has proven a "dry well."

Prowlers Locked Up

John Lately and George Phillips, two Southern Negroes caught prowling about the Hill-Top district and unable to give satisfactory accounts of themselves, were locked up by the police late Tuesday night. They will be held for investigation.

Reduce Time In C. & O. Shops

The working time at the Chesapeake & Ohio shops at Huntington, W. Va., has been reduced to forty hours a week, five seven-hour days, with five hours on Saturday.

Buy Equity Ranges at Hibbs'

Wellston Man Passes Away

Wellston, O., May 8—A. Sell, 92, one of Jackson county's first settlers and a veteran editor, is dead. Sell lived in this vicinity 59 years and was editor of the first newspaper published in the county.

Hand Mashed.

Columbus, Ohio, May 8—Charles Bravis, employed at the Norfolk & Western roundhouse, had his hand badly mashed in an accident Tuesday morning, at 11 o'clock, and was taken to Mt. Carmel hospital in Shaw's ambulance. The man's home is near Chillicothe.

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It cures bleeding, itching and protruding piles, it cures and heals chronic, running and fever sores, no matter how stubborn or hopeless. It is an antiseptic ointment that begins to draw out all poison the minute it is applied.

It's the finest remedy ever compounded for boils, carbuncles, ulcers, eczema, salt rheum, tetter, chilblains, chapped hands or face. Price only 25 and 50 cents a jar. For the baby, for rough, tender skin and to quickly acquire a fine complexion use San Cura Soap (25 cents). Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

GEORGE JOHNSON LIKELY TO GO WITH D. T. & I.

Bluefield, W. Va., May 8—Interest in receivership of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton road has again gained a position of prominence among railroad men because of a visit to New York by George P. Johnson, general superintendent here, who, it is known, has been offered the position and who it is confidently believed will accept the place if his terms are met. The general impression seems to be that the matter will be definitely decided this week and the majority of well-informed local railroad men seem to be of the opinion that he will take the place if his terms are met.

If he does take the place there will be a splendid vacancy on the western division of the Norfolk and Western and all kinds of speculation regarding Mr. Johnson's probable successor is rife, but it is impossible to get any reliable information as to who will succeed him.

Said Was From Oak Hill, Was Arrested

Ironton, May 8—A man giving the name of R. H. Hall and claiming to be from Oak Hill, was arrested Monday evening on a drunkenness charge. He was released upon putting up his gold watch as security.

Hale came in from Oak Hill Monday and immediately proceeded to get drunk, with the result that he soon fell in with some companions and they went to the house of Florence Logan. After a short time he and another companion were arrested and locked up. When Hale was in the house he had considerable money and when he left he had five dollars, which was missing when the police searched him before placing him in the bastile. When he was arraigned this morning Hale told of his troubles and asked for his money. He then remembered that he had been robbed and described the man, the description tallying with that of a rather prominent person in the city.

FIXING UP THE EMBANKMENT

The N. & W. railway Wednesday dumped 13 cars of rock along the Scioto flood defense embankment.

The company has already dumped 125 cars of slag on the embankment and has ordered 730 cars of rock from Mellermott placed on the same defenses which, when completed will likely be proof against any future washouts from the river. Roadmaster Richard Forrest is in charge of the work and is using a clamshell derrick and wrecker.

DR. G. A. SULZER

In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 946 Second St. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Queer Request Made by Man

New York, May 8—Afraid that he might be buried alive, William E. Vander Roest, of Mount Vernon, who died on April 26, left a request in his will that he be stabbed through the heart after the physicians had pronounced him dead.

Miss Young Is Injured

Miss Margaret Young, a sister of Dr. Pill Young, in alighting from a street car Monday evening, had her skirt caught and was thrown to the ground, sustaining a number of bruises.

Mr. Miller Appointed.

Referee Mark A. Crawford has appointed Attorney Edgar Millar as trustee of the B. F. Lantz, bankrupt, estate. His bond was fixed at $2,000.

JUST TRY A TEN CENT BOX OF CASCARETS

Sick Headache, Billiousness, Constipation or a Bad Stomach

Put aside—just once—the Salts, Cathartic Pills, Castor Oils or Purgative waters which merely form a passageway through the bowels, but do not thoroughly cleanse, freshen and purify these drainage or alimentary organs, and have no effect whatever upon the liver and stomach.

Keep your inside organs pure and fresh with Cascarets, which thoroughly cleanse the stomach, remove the undigested, sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the decomposed waste matter and poisons in the intestines and bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never grip, sicken and cost only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Billiousness, coated tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipated bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

N. & W. to Build New Tracks

Columbus, Ohio, May 8—The Norfolk & Western railway recently delivered 5,000 railroad ties along its right of way for building a side-track south of Main street to the P. & O. C. station at Bannon station and on the north side of Main street to the Pan Handle line. The new tracks are to be laid on the west side of the present line to connect with the Gwinn Milling Co.'s new grain elevator. A large force of employes will begin the work in a few days.

Two Recruits Enlisted

Two recruits enlisted for the army at the local U. S. recruiting station Monday, and were sent to the Columbus barracks this afternoon. Oliver A. Jarvis, a Richmond, Ind., man re-enlisted for the calvary and William E. Evans, of New Boston, for the infantry.

Men's Class Is to Meet

The Men's class of the German Evangelical Sunday school will meet at 923 Seventh street Thursday evening, at 7:30, with Mrs. Geo. Johnson as hostess. A large attendance is desired as special business is to be transacted.

Sam Wise, of the Wise Tailoring Company, is in receipt of a letter from Fritz Meyers, who is still at Hot Springs, where he has been for four months. Mr. Meyers says he is improving from his nervous affection, but the rate of improvement is too slow to suit him. He will remain there indefinitely.

Doctoring Tree.

Attorney T. C. Anderson is attempting to save a fine large shade tree that fell across his home on Fourth street the other day. He has four experts busy doctoring the tree.

Extensions Planned.

Among main extensions planned by the Portsmouth Gas company for the summer is one of the entire length of Kinney's Lane.

SAFELY INVESTED!

Your Money Will Be When Deposited In

The Security Savings Bank

SAME SUCCESS HERE AS IN EUROPE

Physicians Delighted By What New Tonic, Tona Vita, Has Done

Tired out, run down, half-sick people are not so numerous as they were a year ago. "Tona Vita," the great modern tonic, has proved as successful in the United States as in Europe, and many thousands of Americans have been built up and restored to health by this medicine.

The physicians who introduced "Tona Vita" in this country are enthusiastic over the remarkable success of the medicine, and those who have been restored to health are also glad to tell what their experience has been. Mrs. Smith, of Rochester, N. Y., a trained nurse for sixteen years and a graduate of Bellevue Hospital, New York City, says:

"I have had no opportunity to take sufficient rest, and during the past year this has told on me. My nerves began to trouble me. I have not been sleeping well and my appetite and digestion were not as they should be. I tired easily and did not have the vitality to withstand a hard day's work as formerly. This tonic, "Tona Vita," was recommended to me and I have decided to give it a test. I have been greatly benefited in health and strength by this medicine. I sincerely believe the tonic to be highly meritorious, judging from my own experience."

Do you lack strength and vitality? Do you take cold easily and sleep poorly. Are you nervous and depressed? If so you are a sufferer from nervous debility and you should at once get a bottle of Tona Vita and see how quickly it will build you up.

Wurster Bros. are the agents for Tona Vita in Portsmouth. Your money will be returned to you if you are dissatisfied with the tonic. The Approved Formula Co., Dayton, Ohio.

Past Masters Have Formed A Society

At an enthusiastic meeting held Tuesday night, which was followed by a splendid banquet, a society of Past Masters, F. & A. M., was formed in Scioto county, the meeting taking place in the Masonic Temple.

An organization was effected by electing the following officers: F. B. Kehoe, president; George P. Roberts, first vice-president; John Dun, second vice-president; A. J. Fuller, secretary and treasurer, and executive committee, John Ives, W. B. Altsman, D. A. Grimes, Wm. Dachler and Clyde Brant.

There were two formal toasts, which were very interesting. A. J. Fuller spoke on "Aurora Lodge and Its Early History," and Edgar F. Draper on "The Departed." A number of witty informal toasts were given and the meeting was fraught with pleasure.

Those present were Judge Osborn, B. F. Vincent, Jas. Finney, Orson H. Ogier, D. A. Grimes, Clay Murlin, C. S. Cadot, R. W. Farden of Chillicothe, who was the guest of honor; Clyde Brant of Lucasville, Charles Ault, W. B. Altsman, G. W. Lockwood, Henry Atlas, John A. Ives, F. M. Haggs, E. O. McCowen, John Dun, Geo. P. Roberts, Dr. J. S. Burdin and Harry Johnson.

The following menu was served at the splendid anquet:

Fruit Salad Tomato Mayonnaise
Celery Olives
Roast Turkey
Asparagus
Strawerries Ice Cream
Cake Coffee Cigars

New Band Formed In City

Some of Portsmouth's oldest and best musicians have organized a new musical organization, which will be known as the Portsmouth Band.

The organization is strictly union with the following members: Leader, C. A. Bradford; cornets, Fred Aragoni, Walter Clausing; clarinet, Adolph Clausing, Frank Binkley; alto, Lou Ellis, Clarence Clausing; trombone, Charles Bennett, Walter Nickel; baritone, Cloyce Freeman; bass, Walter Knochel; drums, Geo. Hartman and Will Brandel.

The band is under the management of Charles A. Bennett.

Changes At Steel Mill.

Earl Dixon, who has been employed in the open-hearth department at the plant of the Portsmouth Steel company, is now the recorder on the three high plate mill. The position made vacant by his elevation has been taken by Harold Schwahel.

Came To See Taft.

Ex-Sheriff Joe Donovan of Waverly, was in the city on business Wednesday and to incidentally get a peep at President Taft. Joe is a red-hot Bryan man and is one of the leading Democrats in Pike county.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Leads all other medicines in the cure of all spring ailments, humors, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, paleness and nervousness. Take it.

Get it today in usual liquid form, or tablets called Sarsatabs. 100 Doses $1.

MRS. SMITH IS TO GET FORTUNE

Huntington, W. Va., May 8—Memorial services for Lucien P. Smith, husband of Eloise Hughes, who lost his life in the Titanic disaster will be held Sunday at 3 p. m. at the Christian church.

On Monday Mrs. Smith will go to Morgantown to settle up the estate of her husband. He was one of the heirs to a million dollar estate and was worth considerable money also in his own right.

Will Open New Cafe

Otis Patton, who has been operating a restaurant and soft drink parlor at South Portsmouth the past few years, has leased the old Nickelodeon room on Second street of Adam Seel and will open a cafe.

Save Your Sale Slips

New Boston Grocers For A Half Holiday

The grocers at New Boston have decided to close on Thursday afternoons. Those who have already signified their intention, according to a telephone message to The Times are Cooper Bros., A. B. Grifton, Smith Bros., Wm. McMannis, O. D. Ohlau, William Canter and J. B. Thomas.

It is claimed that practically all of the business houses will follow the example and there will be a general half holiday at New Boston throughout the summer.

A. Spencer Cole filed an application in the probate court asking to be released from the bond of Charles Rice, administrator of the estate of Martha E. Cole, deceased.

THE STAR

TONIGHT

"End of the Feud"—Western Picture.

"Fate's Warning."

"A Daughter of Italy."

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THE NEAT, CLEAN SANITARY SHOP

Thoroughly equipped to give every patron the best service obtainable, without raise in price.

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Tonic Shampoo Liquid 15c
Hughel's Danderoff 75c
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Rubberset Brushes ..... 35c and 45c

Chris Wagner

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DIAMONDS

WHEN BOUGHT RIGHT MAKE AN IDEAL AND SAFE INVESTMENT. AS WE BUY IN LARGE QUANTITIES DIRECT FROM CUTTERS AND IMPORTERS WE CAN POSITIVELY SAVE YOU MONEY. QUALITY FOR QUALITY CONSIDERED. WE DO NOT ADVERTISE ONE THING AND SELL ANOTHER.

EVERY STONE GUARANTEED JUST AS REPRESENTED.

W. L. WILHELM

THE RELIABLE JEWELER

SPECIAL PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

1 dozen Fancy Lemons 20c
1 dozen Fresh Eggs 20c
1 lb. Fresh Sweet Butter 30c
1 pail White Fish 50c
1 mess White Fish 5c
1 gallon Table Syrup 35c
1 sack Best Flour 75c

Brooms, Mops, Brushes, Bacon, Lard, Soap, Starch, Coffee, Tea, Fruits and Vegetables a specialty. Phone in your orders early.

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HOUSE KEEPERS' SALE!

A RECORD SALE TO START A RECORD FOR MAY. PRICES THAT TALK. VALUES THAT COUNT. SAVINGS THAT TELL ARE THE ATTRACTIONS WE OFFER.

POE B. BLEACHED MUSLIN, BETTER THAN HOPE, PER YARD 7c
72x90 Bleached Muslin Sheets, 3 inch hem for only 39c
42x36 BLEACHED MUSLIN PILLOW SLIPS FOR ONLY 8c
10 YARDS LONG CLOTH 12½c VALUE, PER YARD 89c
32 INCH FINE ZEPHYR GINGHAMS PER YARD 10c
ALL SHADES IN COTTON VOILES, 25c VALUE PER YARD 18c
26 INCH SECO AND JACQUARD SILKS, PER YARD 17c
24 INCH PRINTED SILK FOULARDS 75c QUALITY, PER YARD 39c
8-4 UNBLEACHED SHEETING, PER YARD ONLY 15c
BRASS EXTENSION RODS, EACH ONLY 3c
BRASS EXTENSION BRACKETS, PER PAIR ONLY 5c

Hemstitched Scrim, White, Cream and Arabian, 25c value, per yard 17c
6 foot Cloth Shades 21c
7 foot Cloth Shades 23c
50 pairs Scrim Curtains, $2.00 to $3 values, per pair $1.48
Women's Muslin Gowns, made full, Tucked and Embroidered 29c
Lot of fine Muslin Gowns, manufacturer's samples, worth up to $1.50. Choice 75c
WOMEN'S MUSLIN DRAWERS 25c VALUE PER PAIR 19c
Bleached Sleeveless Vests, full taped 10c value only 5c
BURSON HOSE, ALL WEIGHTS, PER PAIR ONLY 11c
Women's fine Gauze Ribbed Pants, Lace Trimmed per pair 18c
BOYS' GINGHAM ROMPERS, 50c VALUE FOR ONLY 39c
Women's House Dresses, best Ginghams, $1.50 value 98c

GRAND VALUES IN WOMEN'S, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES.

The BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.

MASONIC TEMPLE "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING." FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE

BRYAN HITS HARMON AS TOOL OF MORGAN

(By United Press.)

Norwalk, O., May 8—William Jennings Bryan's third day tour against Governor Harmon began here today with more vigorous denunciation of the Ohio governor than which characterized his speeches yesterday. Until he quits Ohio next Thursday Bryan will make twelve more speeches in Northern Ohio towns.

Bryan claimed that the growth of Progressive sentiment in this country was due to the Democratic party and said that three-fourths of the Republicans today were Democrats only they did not know it. He attacked Governor Harmon as a tool of J. P. Morgan and called him the candidate of Wall Street.

The Norwalk armory was packed to the doors shortly after six o'clock this morning to hear Bryan although the Commoner was not scheduled to speak until 7 o'clock. Between 2000 and 3000 persons heard him. He devoted much of his time to the Republican situation declaring that the Taft and Roosevelt fight has made votes for the Democrats.

Bryan paid Senator Robert M. La Follette a high compliment, which brought forth cheers. "In the Republican party Senator La Follette has been a great factor. He has been for many great reforms including the direct election of senators. If the party had done what La Follette wanted done we would have had direct of senator today," said Bryan.

Underwood Got Mississippi

(By United Press.)

Jackson, Miss., May 8—Oscar Underwood carried Mississippi in the Democratic primary held yesterday, according to practically complete returns today. Latest figures give Underwood 5,206 and Wilson 3,010.

Kansas Is For Teddy.

(By Associated Press.)

Independence, Kas., May 8—The Kansas state Republican convention which met here at noon today will instruct the four delegates at large to the Chicago convention to vote for Col. Theodore Roosevelt on the first ballot and as long as his name is before the convention.

Taft Men Still Claiming Texas

(By United Press.)

Dallas, Texas, May 8—Incomplete returns received today from the county conventions held yesterday indicate that Roosevelt and Wilson will get the delegates to the Chicago convention.

Today's returns give Roosevelt 63½ votes in the state convention and Taft 36½. The Taft forces still claim that they will control the convention as there will be at least 12 contesting delegates and 26 counties which will send in uninstructed delegates.

Returns from 176 out of 250 counties give Wilson 328 and 5-6 instructed votes, Harmon 109 and 2-3 and Clark 29¼.

Complete Vote In Maryland.

Baltimore, Md., May 8—Complete returns from the recent primaries show that Roosevelt's vote was 29,124, Taft 20,009, Roosevelt's majority 3,015.

Clark 34,283, Wilson 22436. Clark's majority over Wilson 11,847.

Wilson Leads In Texas

(By Associated Press.)

Dallas, Texas, May 8—Corrected returns received up to noon today give Governor Woodrow Wilson a majority of 42 votes at the presidential preference primary conventions held yesterday. The vote now stands Wilson 254, Harmon 139, Clark 43, uninstructed delegates 24, contested 6, no convention 8, unaccounted for 7. Total in convention 623.

Bryan Cheered At Fostoria

(By Associated Press.)

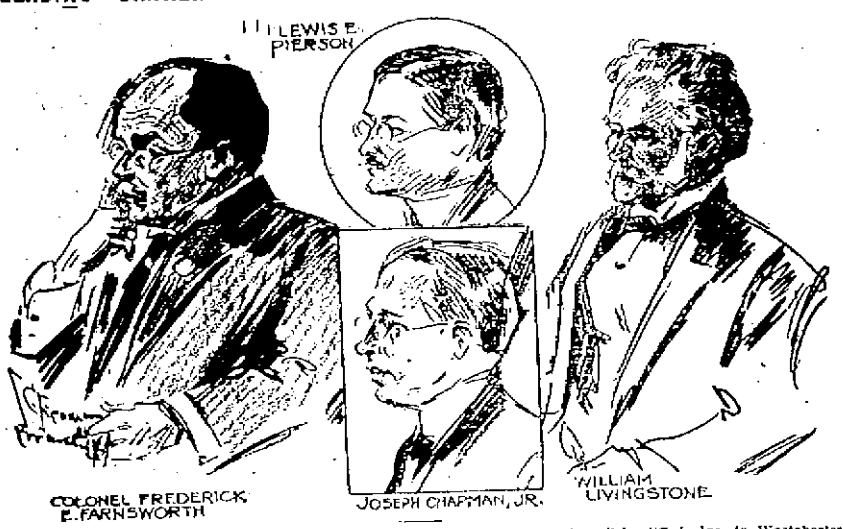
Fostoria, O., May 8—William Jennings Bryan was cheered by several thousand enthusiastic voters here today as he continued his attacks upon Governor Harmon. He called upon the reactionaries to shelve their state pride and vote for a progressive man for the presidency.

CHILD DROWNS IN BUCKET

(By Associated Press.)

Chardon, O., May 8—Mary, the one year old daughter of Charles Hollingwick, was drowned today when she fell head first into a pail of water.

LEADING BANKERS OF THE COUNTRY IN AN IMPORTANT SESSION



Nearly one hundred of the leading bankers of the United States gathered at Briarcliff Lodge, in Westchester county, New York, for the annual spring meeting of the executive council of the American Bankers' Association. This group of financiers, who represent collectively assets exceeding $11,000,000,000, will hold business sessions in which matters of vital importance to banking institutions and the country in general will be discussed and prepared for presentation at the annual convention of the association next fall in Detroit.

A majority of the delegates to the council meeting reached Briarcliff Manor in a special train from Chicago and intermediate points. They were accompanied by their families, as the social features of the gathering are second in importance only to the business programme outlined. Joseph Chapman, Jr., of Minneapolis, is chairman of the convention. Colonel Farnsworth, Lewis E. Pierson and William Livingstone, prominent financiers, are taking an active part.

SENSATIONAL CHARGE WAS MADE BY BRYAN

(By United Press.)

Findlay O., May 8.—William Jennings Bryan today gave out a carefully prepared statement here charging that the friends of Governor Judson Harmon during the latter part of June, 1908, tried to purchase delegates instructed for him. Bryan says in his statement that if Governor Harmon will deny in writing that such an effort was made that he, Bryan, will produce the letter in which the offer was made.

The letter of which Bryan says he has a copy, was written by a Cincinnati man, a long time friend of Governor Harmon.

Change In Date Made By Con-Con

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., May 8—The con con today changed its adjournment date so that the delegates may spend next week at home and participate in the primary campaign. Under the new arrangement the convention will recess tomorrow until May 22, the day after the presidential primaries. Tomorrow's session will be held at Chillicothe. By a vote of 57 to 47 the con con today killed the short ballot proposal. Delegate Thomas succeeded in having passed today his proposal prohibiting contract labor.

Radical changes in the criminal procedure in Ohio courts is provided in a proposal adopted today. The changes are included in the bill of right introduced by Riley of Washington county.

When the con con adjourned at noon it still had 8 proposals on its calendar.

SAYS RICHESON WAS NEVER MORMAN ELDER

(By United Press.)

Boston, Mass., May 8—That the charge made by Mrs. Louise Britain once a prominent member of the faith that Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, slayed of his sweetheart Avis Linnell, was a Mormon elder was "quite absurd and ridiculous was the declaration today by William Morse, Richeson's attorney. He said it was known to the police protection.

John P. Lynch, president of the International Typographical Union has issued a call for a meeting this afternoon to consider what action will be taken by printers in the strike situation.

Evidence Begun In The Huffman Trial

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., May 8—After two days of examining talesmen the jury which will retry Senator Isaac E. Huffman, of Butler county on the charge of accepting a bribe of $200 was completed shortly after the opening of court today. It contains only one farmer. Ten of the original jury was retained. Following the statement of the case by attorneys the jury was taken to view the premises at Rooms 215-17 "Golden Hotel" where a Burns detective is alleged to have given Huffman $200 to influence his vote on an insurance bill pending before the senate. The jury also inspected the senate chamber of the state house.

The opening statements were practically the same as in the preceding trial.

At Oklahoma.

George Carter left Tuesday evening for Oklahoma City where he expects to locate.

FOR FLOOD SUFFERERS

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, May 8—[illegible]

Going to Oregon.

C. C. Brown of South Portsmouth, will soon leave for Oregon where he has a position as bookkeeper for a lumber company. Mr. Brown expects to take his family with him.

PROCLAIMED PRESIDENT.

EMILIO VASQUEZ GOMEZ

Emilio V. Gomez has been appointed Provisional President of the Republic of Mexico by General Pascual Orozco commander in chief of the rebel army. Senor Gomez announced that he would begin the foundation of a regular government at once, and that his first act would be a demand on the United States that it recognize the belligerency of the rebel cause.

NO DISORDER IN CHICAGO STRIKE

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, May 8—Less disorder occurred today than at any time since the newspaper strike began. A few disturbances occurred this morning and a number of arrests were made. All afternoon papers issued full sized editions today and many were sold throughout the city under police protection.

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CONVENTION AT TOLEDO

(By Associated Press.)

Toledo, May 8—Delegates representing every state in the Union are here at the meeting of the Foreign and Home Missionary Society.

Rejected Treaties

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 8—Proposed treaties with Honduras and Nicaragua were rejected by the senate today. The treaties were negotiated with the governments by United States agents. [illegible] amendments were added to the treaties which were rejected by the senate foreign relations committee today. A [illegible] was lost by a tie vote.

"Equity" Gas Ranges are safest.

WOMAN IS SHOT DOWN BY POLICE

(By Associated Press.)

Pottsville, Pa., May 8—Two men and one woman were shot by the state police in a riot at Minersville this morning. The mob attacked the police and some one in the crowd fired a pistol. The police replied with a volley that laid three persons low and then charged, dispersing the mob.

DIAMONDS FOUND

(By United Press.)

Los Angeles, Calif., May 8—Following the recovery at San Diego of $3400 worth of diamonds lost by Mrs. Philander C. Knox while on board the cruiser Maryland off the coast of Guatemala a marine on the Maryland is held confined to the ship's brig awaiting trial for the theft. The name of the marine is withheld. The diamonds were recovered in a San Diego pawn shop a few days ago, and have been sent to New York for identification.

MISSION WORK OUTLINED

(By United Press.)

Minneapolis, Minn., May 8—By the unanimous adoption today of the resolution introduced Monday by Rev. W. Rice, of Chilli, the Methodist General Conference is squarely on record in favor of classifying Catholic and Greek church countries as proper mission fields.

ORDERED TO THE BORDER

(By Associated Press.)

San Diego, Calif., May 8—A company of the 12th infantry left for Monteray under Gen. Presido and has been ordered to the Mexican border, according to advices received at Fort Rosecas today.

AEROPLANE IN POLITICS

(By Associated Press.)

Toledo, O., May 8—The aeroplane was brought into use in local politics today when J. E. Spielbush arranged for a machine to fly over Toledo and distribute his photographs and campaign literature.

CLEVELAND HAS FIRE

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, O., May 8—Incendiarism is blamed today for a fire which destroyed the two story frame building occupied by the National Box Company which caused a loss of $25,000.

STRICKEN AT SAME TIME

(By Associated Press.)

Zanesville, O., May 8—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vickery, of Roseau, near here were stricken with appendicitis at the same time yesterday. Today four physicians operated on the couple at the same time. They will likely recover.

Grocers Will Attend Game

Local grocers will attend Thursday's game between Portsmouth and Newark in a body. It will be their second half holiday of the season, and they will root lustily for the Cobblers.

"Equity" Gas Ranges Bake best.

FIFTY MILLION IS FLOOD LOSS

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 8—Fifty million dollars of loss already done, millions more in prospect. This is the view government experts take of the flood damage in the Mississippi river valley to say nothing of the toll of human life.

Department of agriculture experts today estimated that the loss of farm crops and agricultural property has reached $50,000,000 and may double that amount.

(By United Press.)

New Orleans, La., May 8—Owing to the favorable weather of the past 48 hours apprehension of further breaks in the Mississippi was somewhat diminished today and reports from various points menaced by the rising water is more encouraging.

Attention of the officials is now centered upon the work of rescue. Twenty thousand persons have been rescued in Louisiana to date and as many more are anxiously awaiting aid. Some are floating on tops of houses, others in tree tops while scores are huddled on the levee tops or on small patches of high grounds which the waters have not covered.

For four days they have been without food. Two hundred men and women marooned on high ground near Opelousas will be rescued today. One of the party swam five miles to summon aid.

(By United Press.)

New Orleans, La., May 8—A break in the levee occurred today at the junction of the Old river and the Mississippi five miles below Torras. The gap is about 150 feet wide.

TO PLAY IN "ROBIN HOOD."

MISS ANN SWINBURNE-[illegible]

Surely the muses must have attended Miss Ann Swinburne in her cradle. She is a niece of the distinguished English poet, Algernon Charles Swinburne. When she appears as Anabelle in the revival of "Robin Hood" in New York she should be an ideal embodiment of a pretty English country lass.

TESTIMONY IN STEEL CASES

(By Associated Press.)

New York, May 8—Further testimony tended to support the contention of the government that the American Steel & Wire Co. was one of the largest subsidiaries of the steel trust and was in itself an illegal combination in restraint of trade was made in the hearing in the suit to dissolve the corporation before Commissioner Henry T. Brown today. Harry Whitney was the first witness called. He was asked to tell of the disappearance of a trunk full of papers in the wire pool cases used as evidence in the federal grand jury and which were returned to the company afterward.

PRISONERS STRIKE

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., May 8—Eight prisoners at the Ohio penitentiary went on a strike today, refusing to work on contract labor. Later six of them returned to work. The other two were placed in solitary confinement on bread and water.

FALLS FROM A HAY LOFT

(By Associated Press.)

Amherst, O., May 8—J. E. Plato, 64, president of the American Baking Co., was killed by a fall from the hay loft door of his barn.

WEALTHY BRAZILIAN WEDS CHICAGO BEAUTY

MRS. CLAUDE DE BRITO.

The picture of a winsome Irish colleen in a Chicago newspaper which found its way into the far off capital of Brazil has won a wealthy and distinguished husband for a Chicago girl.

Claude de Brito, scion of a Castilian family, saw the picture while reading the newspaper in Rio Janeiro. He decided to marry the original. That was about two years ago, and now he is the husband of the beauty—Miss Mary C. Forhan, of No. 1502 Ainsley avenue, Chicago.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, May 8—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 81⅛.
American Beet Sugar, 71¾.
American Sugar Refining, 130.
Baltimore & Ohio, 109.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 78¼.
Illinois Central, 124½.
Louisville & Nashville, 137⅞.
New York Central, 118⅜.
Norfolk & Western, 112¾.
Pennsylvania, 123⅜.
United States Steel, 65.
United States Steel, Preferred, 110.
Western Union, 83.

GRAIN MARKETS.

OPENING.

Chicago, Ill., May 8—Wheat: May, 117½; July, 113½ to 112⅞; Sept., 108 ⅛ to 109¼.

Corn: May, none; July, 77⅛ to 19; Sept., 74⅞ to ¾.

Oats: May, 56⅞; July, 53; Sept., 43¾ to ⅝.

CLOSE.

Wheat: May, 117¼; July, 113⅜; Sept., 108¾.

Corn: May, 80¼; July, 77⅞; Sept., 75½.

Oats: May, 57⅞; July, 54; Sept., 44⅞.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., May 8—Hogs: receipts, 20,000; market, slow; mixed and butchers, $7.35 to $7.82½; good, $7.53 to $7.90; light, $7.25 to $7.75; pigs, $4.85 to $6.95.

Cattle: receipts, 21,000; market, lower; beeves, $5.90 to $8.90; cows and heifers, $2.75 to $7.60; stockers and feeders $4.15 to $6.60; calves, $5.00 to $8.00.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 18,000; market, slow; natives, $4.60 to $7.50; lambs, $5.30 to $9.00.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 8—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady; choice, $8.25 to $8.60; good, $7.50 to $7.75; fat, $6.25 to $7.00; veal calves, $7.00 to $7.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, light; market, slow; prime wethers, $5.75 to $6.00; good mixed, $5.25 to $5.65; fair mixed, $4.75 to $5.10; lambs, $4.00 to $8.00; spring lambs, $6.00 to $10.00.

Hogs: receipts, 10 double deck; market, higher; prime heavy, $7.50 to $7.95; medium, $7.90 to $7.95; heavy yorkers, $7.90 to $7.95; light yorkers, $7 to $7.75; pigs, $6.60 to $7.10.

DIVORCE CASE WAS HEARD

Judge Blair Wednesday heard the application of Rufus Hoppes for a divorce from Sophia Hoppes, and then took the case under advisement.

In his bill of complaint Hoppes charged that his wife was guilty of gross neglect.

Lawn Hose—Stahler's.

POSTMASTER ALDERMAN BANKRUPT

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., May 8—A. B. Alderman, the deposed Marietta postmaster today filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. His liabilities are given at $12,333, and assets at $3,250 according to the petition. $2000 of the assets are in stocks and bonds. Bills payable are listed at $500. Alderman's newspaper, the Marietta Daily Journal, was thrown into the hands of a receiver yesterday by the creditors.

Mill Men Strike

(By Associated Press.)

Lowell, Mass., May 8—Five hundred Industrial Workers of the World are on a strike at the mills of the Merrimac Company. They claim that they were promised time and a quarter for noon hour work when a recent strike was settled and they are not getting it.

To Elect Bishops

(By Associated Press.)

Minneapolis, Minn., May 8—With the beginning of the second week of the Quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, interest is centered on the election of new bishops. It is thought that 200 names will be voted upon at the first ballot.

SAYS ROADS ARE TIED UP

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, May 8—Absence of violence continues to be a feature in the strike of the 6000 freight handlers on the 24 of the 26 railroads running into Chicago. "We feel that we have the railroads securely tied up and will not need the assistance of the other roads," said President Flannery of the committee today, "but if we fail to gain our fight the strike will spread over the entire country."

Able to Come Down Town.

Mrs. Charles Bush of Summit street, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. David Tipton at the Biggs House. It was her first trip down town since the first of last September. Mrs. Bush has been suffering with blood poison. She is one of the officers in the order of Royal Neighbors.

Missed Taft.

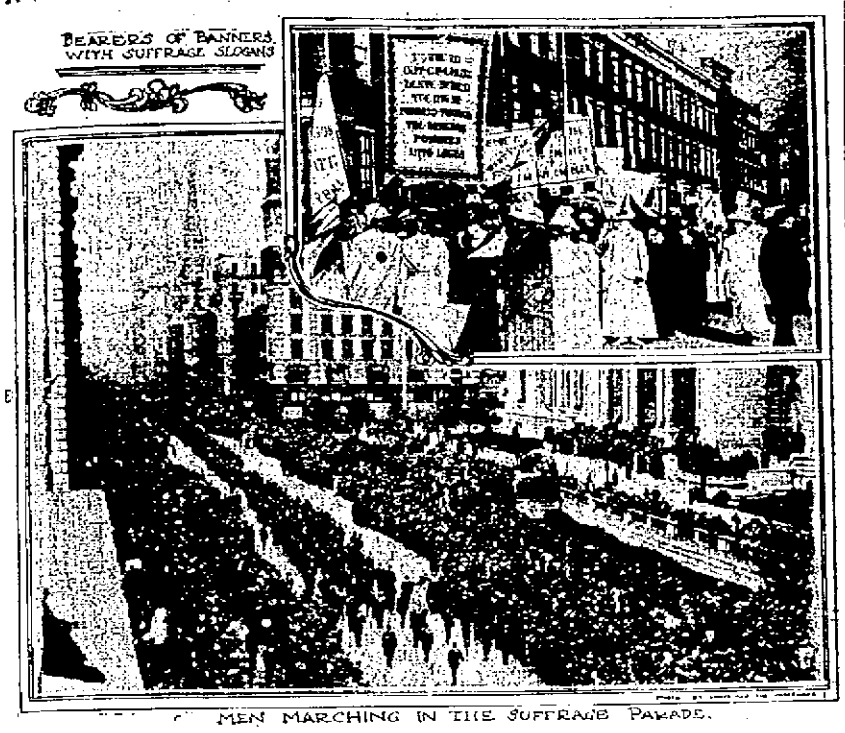
Deputy Revenue Collector B. A. McKenzie of this city, was in the city on business Wednesday. He was called to Ironton and was unable to hear President Taft make his speech in Tracy park.

Buy Refrigerators at Hibbs'.

There's one thing I like about President Taft an' that is his name's "Bill"—same as mine. More'n that I have another feelin' for him that bein' there's a sight of folks tryin' to hit him around all the time—like they do me. I tell you what I meet up with a fellow either that my heart warms up to him like a southern colonel's to a mint julep. That's why I felt glad for him this a. m. Here's the latest "ice-cream" on the weather: Kentucky—Fair tonight and Thursday.

Ohio—Fair tonight and Thursday.

A VIEW OF THE MONSTER PARADE FOR WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE IN N. Y.



In the monster parade in New York for woman suffrage were hundreds of men who participated in sympathy with the women and their cause. They showed the same enthusiasm as the women in the relentless fight that is being waged throughout the country in behalf of woman's rights. The parade was probably the greatest of its kind ever held in the United States, every State in the Union being represented.

Institute Will Be Held Aboard Boat

The Adams county teachers are planning a unique and enjoyable institute. They expect to hold the institute on board of one of the Pittsburg boats. The teachers will take the trip to Pittsburg and return, and while en route hold sessions. The trip will be made in two or three weeks. It has not been decided on what boat the trip will be made.

The Queen City, which has been undergoing repairs at Cincinnati for several weeks, will be put in the Pittsburg trade in a few days.

Traveling by river has increased rapidly during the past few weeks, and it is necessary to put more boats in the Cincinnati and Pittsburg trade.

Purser Chas. W. Knox, of the steamer Ohio, stopped off at his home in Marietta, to celebrate his golden wedding anniversary. He is one of the best known river men on the Upper Ohio, having been purser and captain in the Pittsburg and Cincinnati trade for years. The Captain and his wife have occupied the same house since they were married.

Captain William Carney, of the steamer Greenland, has recovered from a recent illness, and is again in command of the Greenland.

The river is rising at the local wharf. Wednesday the gauge showed 28 feet. The Big Sandy and Scioto rivers have been running out rapidly, and the river here will be stationary by Thursday.

The Greyhound is the only packet due Thursday, leaving the local wharf at 2:30 for Huntington.

DAVIS ANTI-HEADACHE POR NEURALGIA HEADACHE. INSOMNIA Grippe 10c ALL DRUGGISTS 25c

Lot Sale Was Postponed

The lot sale in the Castle Hill addition to Scioto ville, which was to have been conducted Tuesday by The Smith Realty Co., was postponed until Thursday afternoon, in hope the weather will be more propitious.

RETURNS FROM PHILIPPINES

W. CAMERON FORBES, GOVERNOR GENERAL OF THE PHILIPPINES

W. Cameron Forbes, Governor General of the Philippine Islands, who had not been away from Manila in nearly four years, has just returned.

Governor Forbes will be on leave of absence in this country until September, when he will return to his post.

Trustee Named.

The official board of the First Christian church Monday evening elected William Evans as a trustee of the New Boston Christian church, succeeding Nate B. Crabtree.

A committee was appointed for the rally day exercises, at which time it is hoped to wipe out a part of the indebtedness of the church.

"Equity" Gas Ranges cook best.

IRONTON BOARD FACING CHARGES

Ironton, O., May 8.—The election board row here, in which it was alleged the board had favored the Roll Johnson-Taft crowd, as against the Roosevelt faction of the Republican party, was put to Secretary of State Graves Tuesday, when Prof. Homer Edwards, a Roosevelt man, filed charges against the election board, asking for their removal, alleging they were unfair and biased. Mayor T. J. Kennedy, of Ironton, and D. A. Markin filed affidavits in support of the Edwards charges.

It was alleged by Prof. Edwards that the board had been unfair and was biased in favor of a certain political faction in that the members of the board had failed to oust from the ticket the names of candidates that had been induced to decline by one faction while they readily omitted the names of candidates whom the other faction had induced to decline. The charges also alleged that the members of the board refused to restore to the ticket the names of certain candidates who filed their notice, asking again to be placed on the ticket, while other names were restored to the ticket.

Secretary Graves called up members of the election board and Prof. Edwards, and after hearing both sides, said he saw nothing illegal so far, in the actions of the board. He cautioned the members to act fairly and justly as the law contemplated, and for the present the matter rests there.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that the time for paying water rent has been extended until June first, and no money will be received until that date.

This delay was caused by the new system being installed by the State Bureau, and the books for same will not be ready until June first. The usual rate of discount will be allowed for all rents paid in June.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS,
Service Director.

MAY IMPEACH U. S. JUDGE

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 8.—Behind a double barricade of locked doors, with even the committee clerks excluded, the house judiciary committee today began the investigation of impeachment proceedings against Judge Robert W. Archibald, of the Commerce court. A decision is expected within ten days or two weeks. That Judge Archibald's impeachment will be asked for is the opinion of the members of the committee today.

Less than a dozen witnesses will be examined. Judge Archibald will not be called to testify. He is accused of using his position to secure favors from railroads.

KOSHER SHOPS ARE CLOSED

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, O., May 8.—Sixty Kosher butcher shops were closed today as a result of a plan of proprietors and customers to abstain from the use of meat in an effort to force jobbers to reduce prices. Dealers say they are prepared to remain closed for five or six weeks in order to secure their point.

John Hair Is Back on Job

Local employes of the B. & O. S.-W. received the gratifying news Tuesday that John Hair has returned to the company's service as chairman of the safety committee, with headquarters in Baltimore. Mr. Hair, who was for years a frequent visitor here, was superintendent of motive power, with headquarters in Cincinnati at the time he was dropped from the service.

May Have Race.

There is some talk of a match race between Sam Bowers' pacer, Brown Joe, and Dr. J. T. Jesse's race horse, in the near future.

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CONSUL. CELEBRATES UNIQUE ANNIVERSARY

HIS EXCELLENCY ARCHIBALD HUNTER, K.C.B., D.S.O.

The American Consul at Gibraltar, Mr. R. L. Sprague, recently celebrated the eighteenth anniversary of the tenure of the American consulship at Gibraltar in the Sprague family. Sir Archibald Hunter, Governor of Gibraltar, proposed Mr. Sprague's health.

NEW REPUBLIC ALL RIGHT

(By Associated Press.)

San Francisco, May 8.—Lieutenant General Homer Lea, paralyzed and half blind, has arrived here from China, and says that reports that the new Chinese republic is hard up for money are unfounded. Lea was a lieutenant general in the revolutionary army.

WALL PAPER MEN TO BE TRIED

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, May 8.—The trial of the eight wall paper manufacturers and jobbers indicted by the federal grand jury for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law will begin in District Judge Day's court next Monday. The men indicted are: J. B. Pearce of Cleveland, Winfield A. Hippuck of Hudson Falls, New York, Robert Hobbs of Hoboken, N. J., John McCoy of York, Pa., George Tait of Hackensack, N. J., J. C. Aler of Columbus, Norton Newcomb of St Louis and C. Maxwell of Chicago.

SUMMER SESSION OF CONGRESS

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 8.—A midsummer session of congress with a brief recess in June during the Democratic and Republican convention, was unanimously predicted today by the leaders and the house. Anywhere from July 15 to August 15 is the probable time for adjournment, the house bosses declare. Representative Underwood, majority leader, said today that appropriation bills will have the right of way over all other business. He predicted that they will keep the house busy far into June.

Adds Wagon.

Albert Maier has just added another fine new wagon to his city ice delivery service.

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RAILROAD MEN KICKS AT BOOSTING OF NEW TOWN

Cincinnati, O., May 8.—That the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and other train employes will make a bitter protest against the plans of the Chesapeake and Ohio in establishing the new town of Silver Grove as a terminal of the Covington-Russell division, is evidenced by the action of train employes expressing general dissatisfaction of the proposition presented them by the railway company in adopting the 128-mile schedule, which represents the distance from Silver Grove to Russell, instead of 140 miles between Covington and Russell.

Many of the train employes, who live in Covington claim that the company's action is a tyrannical one, imposing a hardship upon employes who own property and live in Covington, inasmuch as they are compelled to move to Silver Grove or lose the 12 miles pay in each direction. It is claimed the employes affected have taken their grievance to the executive committee of the International Union.

General Superintendent J. Paul Stevens, of the C. & O., when interviewed yesterday, stated that he was aware of some dissatisfaction among the trainmen in reference to the Silver Grove terminal, but that it existed chiefly in the company adopting the 128-mile schedule against the demands of the employes for a 140-mile schedule; that he had little doubt but that the matter would be properly adjusted between the company and men. Mr. Stevens further stated that reports of other grievances had been greatly exaggerated, and that when the matter of mileage had been adjusted there would be no further trouble.

Calling On Trade.

A. Amicon, a prominent Italian commission merchant of Columbus, was in the city Tuesday calling on the local trade. Mr. Amicon's firm has just opened a new branch store at Steubenville, Ohio.

NOT A DRINK SOLD ON THE STEAMSHIP

New York, May 8.—Records of all kinds have been claimed by steamships coming into port, but none more strange than the boast of the Columbia, of the Anchor line, which has just completed a trip from Glasgow without having sold a drink in the entire voyage.

There was plenty to drink, but the passengers were total abstainers.

Xavier Lordier, barkeeper at St. John's Hotel bar, became suddenly ill Saturday and was taken to his home on West Sixth street. He was able to resume his work Tuesday.

Local Agents—Whistler Bros., Geo. A. Freund, J. A. Rosen, Pressler's Pharmacy, Amann's Pharmacy, Flood & Blake and John G. Kyle.

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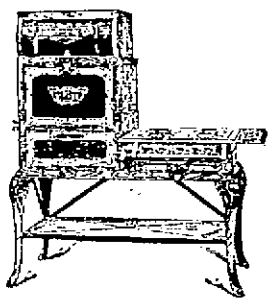

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No. 16 Daily ..... 11:45 a. m.
No. 32 Daily, ex. Sun. 7:28 p. m.
No. 4 Daily (fast) .. 12:01 a. m.
No. 34 Sunday only .. 9:28 p. m.

Columbus District—Westbound

No. 3 Daily (fast) .. 3:47 a. m.
No. 33 Daily ..... 7:25 a. m.
No. 15 Daily ..... 3:35 p. m.

Cincinnati District

No. 23 Daily (fast) ... 4:00 a. m.
No. 35 Daily, ex. Sun. 7:20 a. m.
No. 37 Daily ..... 2:20 p. m.
No 25 Daily (fast) .. 3:40 p. m.

Cincinnati to Portsmouth

Lv. 6:50 a. m. ar. P. 10:25 a. m.*
Lv. 8:45 a. m. ar. P. 11:20 a. m.*
Lv. 5:40 p. m. ar. P. 9:30 p. m.
Lv. 8:50 p. m. ar. P. 11:40 p. m.*
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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

NEWS WHILE IT IS NEWSY

'PEGGY' MOORE TO MANAGE TEAM

Portsmouth fans are going to pull for an Ironton ball club at last. Yep, it's all too true. Sounds about as reasonable as a fellow trying to dig the Panama canal with a toothpick, but it is the truth.

Big Peggy Moore has been selected to manage the Irontonians and that is why local fans will root for our sister city's team in the Mountain State league. Peggy was in Ironton Tuesday and fixed up matters with the directors of that club. He is to have full sway and will pick his own team. Peggy ought to be a Christy Mathewson in that league, which is about as fast as the old Saturday Afternoon league here.

But Ironton will have a winner. Without several good players for Moore, Peglers at the helm this is assured. There was no room for Moore on the local team with Destalle, Marshall, Harwig and Harter in good shape. The managerial offer came from the Ironton directors and Peggy grabbed it. He is just the kind of a fellow to get real work out of ball players. He has a sunny disposition; there is not a tyrant streak in his make-up and he has the happy faculty of making friends. He will certainly have the good wishes of every local fan, who will not soon forget the good work Peggy has done for the Cobblers in the past two years.

Moore is to succeed Shorty Taylor, who has been claimed by the Winnipeg club. Billy Doyle already has his eye on several good players for Moore.

MANSFIELD WON IN 12TH

Lima, O., May 8.—It required 12 innings yesterday for Mansfield to win from the home club, the score being 7 to 6. Monk was hit all over the lot by the Tigers, who have a very fast team.

Lima.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Burke, cf	4	1	1	3	1	0
Wrigley, 2b	5	1	1	1	5	0
Hobbs, 3b	5	1	2	1	1	0
Yeager, 1b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Francisco, ss	5	0	0	2	1	0
Friend, rf	5	1	2	2	1	1
Long, 3b	1	0	1	1	2	1
Hornung, ss	5	0	0	0	3	1
Monk, p	4	0	1	0	11	0
Daubert	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	5	10	36	25	3

Daubert batted for Monk in the 12th.

Mansfield.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Abbott, cf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Daley, ss	6	1	2	1	1	0
Lamey, rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Thenbold, lf	6	1	2	1	0	0
Womack, 1b	5	1	2	13	1	0
Schlagel, 2b	5	1	3	1	2	0
McCormick, 3b	5	1	2	3	2	0
Redman, c	5	0	1	4	2	0
Hosser, p	5	1	2	1	6	0
Totals	39	7	15	26	15	1

Score by innings:

Lima	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Mansfield	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	7

Struck out—By Monk, 6; by Hosser, 4. Bases on balls—Off Monk, 2; off Hosser, 4.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	14	4	.778
New York	13	4	.765
Chicago	10	9	.526
Boston	7	10	.411
Pittsburg	7	10	.412
Brooklyn	6	9	.400
Philadelphia	6	9	.400
St. Louis	5	13	.278

American League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	15	5	.750
Boston	11	7	.611
Washington	10	7	.588
Philadelphia	9	8	.529
Cleveland	8	9	.471
Detroit	9	12	.429
St. Louis	6	12	.333
New York	3	12	.200

American Association.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	15	6	.714
Columbus	14	8	.636
Toledo	12	10	.545
St. Paul	11	11	.500
Kansas City	10	13	.435
Louisville	8	13	.400
Milwaukee	8	13	.381
Indianapolis	7	16	.304

Ohio State League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	6	2	.750
Chillicothe	5	4	.556
Mansfield	5	5	.500
Lima	4	5	.444
Newark	4	5	.444
Marion	3	6	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

Philadelphia	5
Cincinnati	5
Chicago	2
Boston	1
New York	6
St. Louis	2
Pittsburg-Brooklyn	Rain.

American League.

Boston	5
Detroit	4
Cleveland	1
Washington	0

Philadelphia-Washington, New York-St. Louis, Chicago-New York, Boston-Chicago, Cleveland-Detroit, Washington-Boston.

Ohio State League.

Marion at Portsmouth	7
Lima	5

Newark-Chillicothe, Mansfield-Zanesville, Portsmouth-Marion, Lima-Newark.

TODAY'S GAMES

National League.

Philadelphia at Cincinnati
Chicago at Boston
New York at St. Louis
Pittsburg at Brooklyn

American League.

Philadelphia at Washington
New York at Boston
St. Louis at Chicago
Cleveland at Detroit

American Association.

Minneapolis at Toledo
Columbus at Louisville
Milwaukee at Kansas City
Indianapolis at St. Paul

TIGERS WORLD'S HURDLE

Raph Sends Greetings, Glad Locals In Lead

L. S. Raphun, former umpire in the Ohio State league, but now clerk of the Spencer House at Indianapolis, is glad to know the ex-Champs are up and doing. "Raph" is one of the best arbitrators that ever gave a decision in the Ohio State and the fans around the circuit would be pleased to see him back. He is out of the game because of the many injuries he received last year, several bones in his right foot having been shattered by foul tips. However, he is feeling chipper now and it is dollars to a peanut that he will be back next year.

He writes to The Times sporting editor as follows:

Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 1912.

Frank W. Sheridan.

Dear Frank: Am receiving papers O. K. and surely enjoy every article thoroughly, especially your dope.

The Springfield club is here tonight and it seems good to see the boys again. I had a long talk with Mike O'Day. He is a fine fellow.

The boys leave in the morning at 8:10 for Dayton. Portsmouth is going pretty good I see. Well, keep up the good work. I don't know of any club I would sooner see win it (the flag). I am glad to see you have Bagwell—he is a good man. Keep up the papers if you can, Frank. It is the only "dope" I get hold of from the O. S. Of course I get The Enquirer every morning, but that don't give the game play by play like The Portsmouth Times.

Indianapolis has been in tough luck but things are breaking better now.

Well, so long, old scout; good luck to you and the ex-Champs. Remember me to Fohlenian, Pete and the gang.

Sincerely,

"RAPH."

Reds Winning Streak Broken By Phillies

The Reds' winning streak has been broken.

The Phils from Philadelphia halted the Reds Tuesday, winning the first game between these two clubs by a score of 5 to 5. George Franklin Suggs was hit all over the lot, triples and doubles being in evidence in almost every inning. It was a hard fought game until the fifth, when Dooin's men fell on Suggs and pounded out five runs on good solid hitting. The Reds tried hard to overcome the commanding lead, but fell short three runs.

However, Seaton, who started the game for the Phillies, was driven from the slab. President Taft was a spectator at the game and rooted for the Reds, as he is loyal to Cincinnati, his home town.

Philadelphia.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Knabe, 2b	5	0	2	2	1	0
Titus, rf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Downey, 2b	4	3	1	1	0	0
Luderus, 1b	5	0	2	11	0	0
Magee, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Paskert, cf	3	1	3	2	0	0
Doolan, m	3	0	1	5	3	0
Graham, c	1	0	3	2	1	1
Dooin, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seaton, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Schultz, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brennan, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	8	16	27	10	1

Dooin ran for Graham.

Cincinnati.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Beecher, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Bates, cf	5	1	1	1	0	1
Hoblitzell, 1b	5	0	1	12	0	0
Mitchell, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Egan, 2b	3	1	0	2	1	0
Phelan, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	0
Raymond, ss	3	1	2	2	6	0
McLean, c	3	0	0	1	3	0
Suggs, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Marquard	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fromme, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benton, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Severoid	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	5	7	27	15	1

Marquard batted for Suggs.
Severoid batted for Fromme.

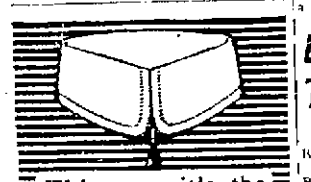
Score by innings:

Cincinnati	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	—5
Philadelphia	2	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	—8

Two-base hits—Raymond, Paskert 2, Luderus, Bates. Three-base hits—Titus, Downey, Seaton. Stolen bases—Paskert 2, Phelan, Doolan. Struck out—By Suggs 1, by Fromme 1, by Seaton 2. Bases on balls—Off Suggs 2, off Fromme 1, off Benton 1, off Seaton 1, Schultz 2. Hits—By Suggs 1. Passed ball—Graham 1. Base hits—Off Suggs 13, off Fromme 1, off Seaton 6, off Schultz 3. Umpires—Rigler and Bush.

GIANTS HAVE THE ONE BEST CHANCE

The New York Giants are right on the heels of the Reds as they beat St. Louis Tuesday while the Cincinnatians were being mauled by Philadelphia. Marquard pitched his fifth straight victory. Unless the McGrawites have a series of accidents, which is not likely, the team looks to have by far the best chance to again rip the bunting in the National. The Phils, Reds and Giants may give them a little trouble, but not a great deal.



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Benton Is The Leader

Here are the pitching records of the Reds up to Tuesday's games:

Players.	W.	L.	Per.
Benton	3	0	1.000
Humphries	1	0	1.000
Gaspar	1	0	1.000
Beebe	1	0	1.000
Keefe	1	0	1.000
Suggs	2	1	.667
Fromme	2	1	.667
F. Smith	0	1	.000

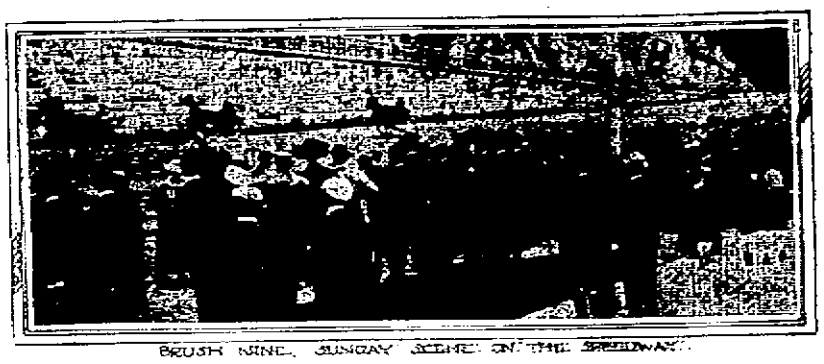
SCIOTOVILLE AFTER GAME

Manager Fred Beisel of the Sciotoville team is now in the market for his champions next Sunday and should be pleased to hear from good team, the home team not preferred. Perhaps the Scioto will agree.

Roger Bresnahan is going pretty strict with any of the pitchers that do not toe the mark this year. Any of his hurlers who fail to keep control are to be sent home, which means that a fine is to be levied on

Batting List Is Shaken Up

WHERE HUNDREDS ENJOY CONTESTS BETWEEN THOROUGHBREDS.



BRUSH WINS SUNDAY SCENE ON THE SPEEDWAY.

The Speedway in New York, where thoroughbred trotting horses are put through their spirited paces every Sunday morning, is a great gathering place for the enthusiasts, who enjoy nothing better than to see the high strung animals perform. Hundreds of visitors from out of town usually attend the meetings.

WOLGAST WILL MEET JOE RITCHIE

San Francisco, May 8.—Ad Wolgast, accompanied by Manager Tom Jones, arrived in San Francisco today. After feeling Wolgast established in his training quarters, Jones will return to Los Angeles Thursday and act as Frankie Conley's chief second when he fights Jack White on Friday afternoon at Vernon. Jones will then return to San Francisco and be in Wolgast's corner when he fights Ritchie on Saturday. According to Jones' plans he will leave for the east with Wolgast on Sunday evening.

GERBER GOING THROUGH AN ACID TEST

The Columbus Dispatch says:

"At present there is more fear as to Gerber than anything else. This lad will show whether he is a real player in the next ten days. His six errors Sunday, slight hitting slump and the worry incident to his condition will test him to the limit. If he comes through this dilemma of misfortunes unwavering in spirit he will be the 'real goods' and able to weather storms. If he falls believed that he will do so and get squared away again."

Steiny Joins The Brewers

Louisville, Ky., May 8.—The Colonels have signed Harry Steinfeldt, former Cub and Reb. He has joined the team in Milwaukee.

The Phillies took way more money from the first two games they played in Boston this spring than they did as of last summer. The fans are turning out to see King and his band this spring.

A. E. WOODS BREAKS 15 MILE RECORD

A. E. WOODS

Billy Doyle Will Help Ironton Team

Of local interest The Ironton Register says:

"Scout James Doyle of Portsmouth, connected with the St. Louis Browns, arrived in the city Tuesday to help the local management in some business in connection with the opening of the baseball in this city.

"Mr. Doyle talked at some length today on the baseball stars of the day and of the races in the two major leagues. About the first question that a Register scribe asked Mr. Doyle was concerning the showing of the Reds so far this season. 'The Reds always did have a great team and it does not surprise me that they are sticking up there at the top. I think the showing of the Reds is due a great deal to the managing of Hank O'Day, who has ably handled the team up to date.

"The work of the Chicago White Sox looks like a flash in the pan to me, as they cannot compare as a team to some of the Eastern teams. I look for Philadelphia, Cleveland and Boston to be up there in the American league. In the National I think the New York, Cincinnati and Pittsburg teams will finish one, two and three.'

"Mr. Doyle spoke of Baumgardner and laughed about his homesickness. Mr. Doyle thinks Baumgardner and Willis will both make good. Baumgardner and Willis were both recommended by Mr. Doyle, who seems to have a knack for picking winners and not lemons.

"He also discovered Spratt, who is playing as the St. Louis Browns' second sacker. Emory, who will be remembered by Ironton fans as the fast little shortstop for Montgomery last year in the league here, is setting things afire in the Western league with Sioux City, so Mr. Doyle informs us, and is likely to go much higher.

"Mr. Doyle while here will be busily engaged in fixing up advertising schemes for the local management and he will aid in opening the season here one week from next Wednesday. The opening here this year will be a very auspicious one and every man in the city who owns an auto will be asked, out of the courtesy to the city, to take part in the parade. Floats will be arranged for and the two teams (Ashland-Catlettsburg and Ironton) will lead the parade. Mayor Kennedy has consented to make the opening address and after he has thrown the first ball, the season will be on in earnest."

PERDUE IS DOING WELL FOR BOSTON BRAVES

Before the season opened many critics conceded that the Boston Nationals had a pretty team, but that their great effectiveness would be sadly handicapped by poor pitching. However, there is one finger on Johnny Kling's staff who threatens to carve a deep niche in the pitching hall of fame before the season is over. This twirler is Hub Perdue, a young collegian, whom the Boston bought from Nashville a year ago. Perdue has started in four games this year for the Kling tribe, and each one resulted in a victory for the Boston. Hub won the opening game in Boston, easily outpitching Alexander the Great, of the Phillies, the score being 7 to 3. A few days later he kalsomined McGraw's champions to the tune of 3 to 0.

Christy Mathewson was in the box for the New Yorks, and though he twirled a good game, had to bow to the skill of the young collegian from the Middle West. Perdue's next triumph was over the Phillies again. He trimmed the Doolo folks in Horace Foget's own ball yard eight days ago by a score of 5 to 1. On this occasion Hub was pitted against Seaton, a Phillie pitching find. Last Thursday Perdue added the Superbas to his list of victims, though he had to go ten innings to get the decision, 7 to 5, with Rucker and Schardt the combination against him. The Brooklyns hit the youngster harder than any other team he has faced this season. Last year Perdue won six games and lost ten for Boston.

Hal Chase Is Said To Have Smallpox

New York, May 8.—Hal Chase, the top sensation on the trip to this city of the Yankee crack first baseman, who wanted to never leave him until he was safely placed in a hospital. But on their arrival here Chase gave his guard the slip and later called up President Frank Farrell of the Yanks on the phone and told him he was in a sanitarium, the location of which he would not give.

Farrell told Chase to communicate with Mr. Farrell's physicians, which he did, and he is now getting the best of care. While Farrell knows the location of the sanitarium in which Chase is being treated, he refuses to make it public.

McGUIRES' POSITION SAFE WITH DETROIT

Are Playing Great Ball

Jimmy Esmond and Arthur Phelan are certainly playing great ball for Cincinnati. Esmond cracked out a double and two singles Tuesday and Phelan had a good day at the bat and in the field. They are fixtures in the Reds' lineup.

Fans Anxious.

Worster Bros. received no less than 200 telephone inquiries on Tuesday as to whether or not a game would be played at Legion Park. Indications were for a good attendance had weather conditions permitted a game.

Had A Scrap.

Sam Kurtz, a mill man, and Lawrence Cole, a moulder, became involved in a heated dispute that led to blows in front of the West End hotel Monday evening. Friends parted the two before either was damaged.

Taft And Brownie Met At Ball Park

During the Red-Philadelphia game Tuesday at which President Taft lent dignity to the occasion with his distinguished presence, Brownie Burke created a ripple of laughter when he calmly walked over to the President's box and was introduced to the chief executive of our country and who spent an hour in the River City Wednesday.

All the fans applauded as Taft and the diminutive mascot shook hands. Their meeting was cordial that Taft picked up Brownie and held him up so the big crowd could cheer him.

Owing to the good work of the Reis Brownie is just as popular with the Red fans as Taft is and this is not said with any disparagement to the President, as the mascot of a winning ball club is just naturally one of the prominent personages of any community.

SAYS KAHLER IS GREAT

Cleveland, O., May 8.—Joe Birmingham has appointed himself as a committee of one to boost the Naps' pitching staff and Pitcher George Kahler in particular.

"Next to Walter Johnson," said Birmingham yesterday, "Kahler is the best right-hander in the league. He has learned a lot since last spring and as he has the strength and the stuff, he is going to win a lot of games for us this year when we get to supporting him better with the bat. And Mitchell and Blanding look like different pitchers, too. They have learned a lot."

BASEBALL

Jacques Fournier, who is touring the American league cities with the White Sox this spring, is something of a curiosity for the fans. They have all heard about the batting prowess of the young Frenchman, and all want to get a glimpse of him.

Just now while the Sox are going so good it might be proper to say that some of the credit for the speeding up of the new Sox machine is due to the work Kid Gleason has been doing.

Stovall has made the Browns look like a fairly good ball team, but Lefty George, the man Hedges turned over to the Naps in place of the big first baseman, has not been able to do much.

Those Sox have switched the betting odds in the American league. The wise guys are now counting on Callahan's men being in at the finish, and some of them are figuring them as very probable winners.

Much of the success of the Chicago American league club has been attributed to the good work of the pitchers this spring. That is a reason which is both logical and standard. It is also probable that some of the excellent results which have accrued have been the outcome of good batting and good fielding. By unofficial figures the Chicagos lead the American league in both respects.

As a scrapper, baseball has as yet to produce "Kid" Gleason's equal. Even now when he is far from a broiler, he can take his own part so well that the "tough mugs" aren't looking for any of his game. This doesn't mean that he is quarrelsome, for on the contrary he is a very affable person. But of any mugs starts, they can deal the "Kid" in and find that he plays a strong game.

President Ward of the Boston Nationals stated the other day that he would release Cy Young in a moment if Kling wasn't so strong for the grand old man. However, look for Cy to draw his papers inside of ten days. Ward has the say so in the end.

The White Sox are telling a good story on Pitcher Baumgardner of the St. Louis Browns. Just before the first game the young West Virginian pitched against the White Sox one of his teammates remarked:

"Quite an honor for you, young man, to pitch against Ed Walsh today before this big crowd."

"Who's this Ed Walsh?"

"Oh, no one much; only one of the greatest pitchers in the world."

"Huh. If he is so all-fired good, why don't some National league club draft him?"

Evidently the arduous task of managing a ball team has not dimmed Charley Houghtlin's batting eyes. The former Yankee, who is managing the Atlanta team of the Southern league, in eight games had a batting average of .500, leading the league.

Harry Steinfeldt, who has been kicked from pillar to post by unsympathetic managers, has caught on at Baltimore, Jack Dunn being badly in need of a utility infielder, has signed the once great star of the Cubs and Harry will get one more chance.

The average man in charge of a ball team tries to steer clear of eccentric ball players, but there is one exception to this rule—Joe Cantillon. It is questionable if there was ever a team which numbered among its members as many individuals who, in the parlance of the game, are called "boxes" as are to be found on Cantillon's Minneapolis team this season. Waddell, Ainsmith and Ferris are but three of his players who are, to say the least, peculiar, but there are others, including Bossman, once a star with the Tigers. Cantillon seems to delight in gathering about him this class of players and, peculiarly enough, he seems to have made up another winning combination in this way.

It begins to look as if Connie Mack cannot place any dependence in Harry Krause, his left-hander, who year before last made an sensational start, when he won 12 or 13 straight games. Rube Oldring, however, Krause has been of little or no value to the team. On most occasions he has been taken out of games he starts, and it must be apparent to the Athletics that Jack Coombs' absence may prove too great a handicap to overcome. It is, of course, a long time to the end of the season, and the champions are not showing the right kind of pitching to date, and unless there is a great improvement in this respect it is going to be a hard struggle for them to keep within hailing distance of the leaders.

Are Transferred To Portsmouth

Five train crews on the N. & W. who have been making their headquarters in Kenova, were transferred to this city Wednesday much to their gratification. Practically every crew on this division of the road now have their headquarters in Portsmouth.

At The Lyric.

Howard Beyler has accepted the position of doorkeeper at the Lyric Theatre, succeeding Ben Voorheis, who resigned.

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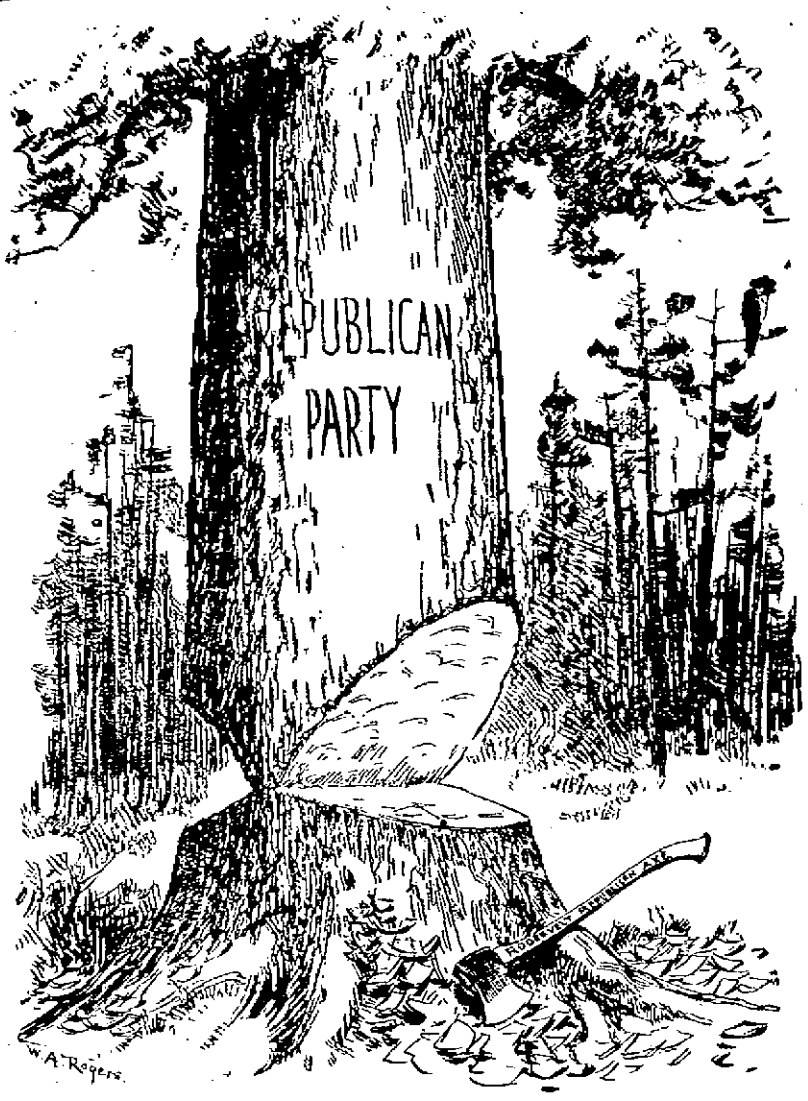

WHO WINS?

Internationally Great Tented Enterprise

It takes a regiment of laboring men to set up the Great Sun Brothers' White City, commonly called tents, in less than three hours, which is pronounced remarkable by those who have watched them. The building and tearing down of a tented city like this is one of the most interesting sights in the world.

America is the great show country, because nowhere else on the globe are the people supplied with so much money.

The seal of approval has been placed upon this big tented enterprise in all of the leading towns and cities, and those who have never witnessed the performances of the Sun Troupe of Post-Graduate High School Elephants will be astonished.

They are now appearing for the first time this season, and with the assurance that nowhere can their equals be duplicated. They are a study for the naturalist, a theme of thought for the philosopher, a source of pleasure for the children, in fact a source of surprise for everybody.

The other "Big Top" features are all huge hits, especially the Electrique De Kamos, High Air or Butterfly Equitation Artists from the Coliseum, London; the Cevene Troupe from Paris, France; a quintette of sensational high tight-wire acrobates; Herman Griggs and Miss Blanche Reed, in a new equestric departure; twenty first-class clowns, among the best in the arenic profession appear at stated intervals; the Royal Court Japanese Company, direct from the land of the Mikado, present many new and diversified Oriental novelties; Comical Charley Barnett, champions hurdle mule rider in new ideas; fifty other men, women and children performers take part, the pick of the show world.

The menagerie and wild beast department is augmented this year with many select specimens and is more instructive and interesting than heretofore, the wild animals are a feature of this show, in fact.

Two complete performances are offered daily, afternoon and night. The exact day and date here is Tuesday, May 14.

Wilbur Got Big Scare.

Wilbur Schaefer, eldest son of Grocer Joe Schaefer, was scared out of ten years' growth by a thrilling experience Monday night.

Wilbur was just turning into the family home on Market street, when startled at the sight of an unkempt and scantily attired aged woman charging down the street yelling like a Comanche Indian. After recovering from his fright he shouted to her, asking what was wrong. The woman had no sooner caught sight of him when she rushed up on the porch where he was standing, and seizing him by the arm, marched him down to the Washington hotel, where he finally managed to break away. The woman was Mrs. Victoria Buchanan, the story of whose outbreak appears in another column.

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House Hit By Lightning

It is learned that Edward Skidmore's home was the one struck by lightning during a storm at Garrison, Ky., Sunday. The house was burned to the ground and an adjoining home was also destroyed. Skidmore and his family had just left the house a few moments before to make a social call.

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Please announce my name for Delegate from the Tenth Congressional District of Ohio, to the National Republican Convention to be held in the city of Chicago, June 18, 1912.
GEO. L. DAVIS

We are authorized to announce
ALFRED H. RICHARDSON
as a candidate for
CLERK OF COURTS
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of May 21st.

We are authorized to announce
BURLE BURKE
as a candidate for
CLERK OF COURTS
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of May 21st.

ROY McELHANEY
Candidate for re-nomination for
CLERK OF COURTS
Subject to Republican Primary, May 21. Thanks for your support.

We are authorized to announce
W. T. McCARTY
as a candidate for
SHERIFF
Subject to the Democratic Primaries.

JOHN F. ECKHART
Candidate
COUNTY SHERIFF
Would appreciate your support at the Republican Primary, Tuesday, May, 21, 1912.

EDGAR G. MILLAR
Republican candidate for
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Your support solicited.

Your support is solicited.
TIFFEN S. COLLETT
Of Vernon Township candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Of Scioto County
Decision of the Democrat primaries, May 21, 1912.

To the Democratic voters of Scioto county I respectfully solicit your support for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
At the primaries, May 21.
H. H. HANSGEN

WILLIAM BENNETT
I respectfully solicit renomination for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
at the hands of the Democratic voters.

We are authorized to announce
DANIEL EGBERT
as a candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries May 21.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE S. WILHELM
as candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, May 21, 1912.

We are authorized to announce
WILLIAM L. ELLIOTT
as a candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Subject to the Democratic Primary.

I will be a candidate in the Republican primary for the nomination for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Your support solicited.
J. HENRY ROCKWELL

We are authorized to announce
W. A. McGEORGE
as candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Subject to the Republican primaries of May 21st.

THOS. W. WATKINS
Republican Candidate For
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Primary May 21, 1912.
Your Support Solicited.
Good Roads

My policy: "A Square Deal To Everybody."
WM. M. TATMAN
Republican Candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Republican Primaries May 21, 1912.
Your support thankfully received.

To the Voters of Scioto County:—I respectfully solicit your support for county commissioner at the primaries, May 21.
GEORGE H. HILL

For Commissioner.
To the Republicans of Scioto county:—I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for county commissioner, subject to the decision of the primary next May. I served one term and did my best to give good service. The support of Republicans is earnestly solicited.
PETER BROWN

FRANK CRAIG
FOR COMMISSIONER
I am in favor of good roads and a square deal to everybody. Your support is respectfully solicited. Republican primary May 21, 1912.

I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for county commissioner at the May primaries. Your support is respectfully solicited.
CHARLES E. WORLEY

J. J. SPENCER
FOR COMMISSIONER.
Candidate for a second term solicits the support of all Republicans at the primary election to be held, May 21, 1912.

ELZA S. COOK
Republican Candidate For
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Your Support Solicited

We are authorized to announce the name of
WILLIAM WEIDNER
as a Republican candidate for county commissioner, subject to the primaries of May 21st. Your support is respectfully solicited.

JACOB P. KUHNER
Republican Candidate
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Your support is solicited and will be appreciated.
Primary May 21, 1912.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN
as a candidate for
PROBATE JUDGE
Subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The support and influence of the voters of Scioto county are hereby solicited for
FRANK L. SIKES
Candidate for
PROBATE JUDGE
All favors will be highly appreciated.

We are authorized to announce
JOSEPH L. SWITALSKI
as a candidate for renomination as
COUNTY RECORDER
Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, May 21.

To the Voters of Scioto County:
I wish to announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of
PROBATE JUDGE
of this county and will be very thankful for your support for the same.
THOMAS C. BEATTY

We are authorized to announce
HENRY L. STAHLER
as a candidate for
AUDITOR
Subject to the Democratic primaries of May 21st.

We are authorized to announce the name of
THOS. C. PATTERSON
as candidate for renomination for
COUNTY AUDITOR
Subject to Republican primaries to be held May 21, 1912.

We are authorized to announce
J. H. RYAN
as a candidate for
COUNTY SURVEYOR
Subject to the Democratic primary.

I respectfully solicit your support for the Democratic nomination for
COUNTY SURVEYOR
Your votes will be appreciated very much. Primary May 21, 1912.
GROVER C. KINLEY
Present Deputy Surveyor)

I will be a candidate for Republican nomination for
COUNTY SURVEYOR
at May Primaries.
Your support is respectfully solicited.
CHAS. NOEL

HARRY H. MITTENDORF
Candidate For
COUNTY TREASURER
Your support will be appreciated. Republican Primary May 21, 1912.

J. F. STRAYER
Candidate For
COUNTY TREASURER
Your support will be appreciated. Republican Primary May 21, 1912.

EMORY F. EVANS
Candidate for County Treasurer, Republican Primaries May 21, 1912. Your support will be appreciated.

MAURICE J. CALDWELL
Candidate For
TREASURER, SCIOTO COUNTY
Republican Primary May 21, 1912
Your support earnestly solicited.

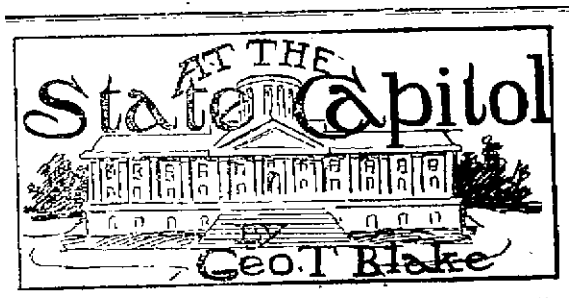
To the Voters of Scioto County:
I respectfully solicit your support for the Republican nomination for Treasurer of Scioto County, Primary May 21, 1912.
ELMER W. HEISEL
(Present Deputy Treasurer)

The undersigned is a candidate for renomination and re-election to the office of
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
of Scioto county, Ohio. Your support is hereby respectfully solicited.
Democratic Primary May 21, 1912.
HORACE L. SMALL

JOS. T. MICKLETHWAIT
Candidate for Republican nomination for
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Republican primary, Tuesday, May 21.
Your support will be greatly appreciated.

WILLIAM J. MEYER
Candidate for Republican nomination for
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Primaries, May 21, 1912.

GEO. W. SHEPPARD
CANDIDATE
Prosecuting Attorney.
Please give me your support, Republican Primary, May 21, 1912.



Columbus, O., May 9.—Holding them to be defective, Secretary of State Graves has thrown out the nominating petitions of Walter La Dean, of Greene county, candidate for a third term, and leader of the so-called reform forces of the county. Dean circulated three different petitions and only one of them sworn to. He fastened the three together and filed them as one petition. The ruling of the secretary of state is that an affidavit should have been attached to each petition, setting forth the qualifications of the signers and that the signatures were procured without means of false representation. Dean was recently prosecuted by the state on a charge of bribing an election judge. A conviction was not obtained. The defeat in Dean's papers was discovered by the election board while an investigation was made of other papers, against which protests had been made as a result of the factional squabble between the Dean and anti-Dean forces. Dean tries to bring the strongest kind of pressure to bear to have his nominating papers declared legal. Dean is a Republican.

In his campaign in Ohio next week, Roosevelt will visit most of the prominent cities of the state. At his state headquarters here Walter F. Brown, his Ohio manager, is busy preparing his itinerary, which may be ready by Thursday. It is probable that President Taft's second trip in Ohio will come immediately after Roosevelt finishes his trip.

Tonight the president will address a big meeting in Columbus. Harry M. Dougherty will act as chairman. The arrangements for the La Follette meetings will be made soon.

The city of Cincinnati must pay an annual four per cent rental on an appraised valuation of $800,000 on the canal property within its limits which it will lease from the state, as a result of the finding of the state board of arbitration, appointed by Governor Harmon, under legislative authority, to fix the valuation of the land. The board was composed of Colonel Curtis V. Hard, Wooster; Felix A. Jacobs, Columbus, and Oscar W. Newman, Portsmouth. The city will use the land for boulevard and subway purposes.

For shouting "Fire" in a crowded theater in Columbus, George Woods, a stone cutter, was given a workhouse sentence of 30 days by Police Judge Osborn, Tuesday. Woods was partly intoxicated, and he told the judge he did not realize what he did. He caused a near-panic, which was stopped by cool-headed persons.

School men generally over the state are up in arms against the Knight proposal before the constitutional convention to give home rule to school districts, which they declare is reactionary and would plunge the schools into politics. They see no need of making any change in the constitution with regard to the management of the schools. They point out that under the present constitution the legislature has all the power needed to provide for the schools. If some hard and fast rule is written into the constitution regarding the schools it will not be easy to get it out,—this could only be done by amendment; but if anything the legislature does for the schools turns out to be undesirable, it can be changed at the first session.

The United States government has issued an order that queen bees and nursery stock may not be sent through the mails unless they have been inspected by either state or government officials and pronounced free from disease. As a result of this order, the inspectors of the state nursery and orchard department are kept busy complying with calls for their services in various parts of the state. Queen bees are valued at from $1.00 to $100, and a delay in shipment may mean their death, dealers naturally are much exercised over the new ruling, and the difficulty in getting the inspections made when they are needed.

An occasional ray of sunshine finds its way into the Harmon camp. R. H. Yancey, Jr., manager of the Harmon campaign in Tennessee, wires that Harmon is sure to get 20 of the 24 delegates of that state. Remembering that many things which did not materialize were promised from Texas and Maryland for the Governor, the disheartened followers of the governor are not being carried away by this message of hope, which they trust will be borne out by results. Blake.

Daughters In Charge.

Misses Cora and Mary Newman have taken charge of the store of their late father, John M. Newman, but are as yet undecided as to whether they will permanently continue the business.

GREAT SCOTT, MILK IS CHEAPER

There has been a reduction made in the price of milk. The Pure Milk Company Wednesday reduced the price from 9 cents a quart to 8 cents.

The C. & O. Is Prospering

Richmond, Va., May 8—Very substantial increases are being made by the Chesapeake and Ohio. Gross last week rose $254,400 and about $515,000 for the month. The gross increase for ten months is $1,192,359

CN
DISINFECTANT
IS anybody sick in your house? Don't let the disease spread.
Clean the floors and everything in the room with CN.
It will destroy all germs and protect you against the disease.
CN is a powerful disinfectant, five times as strong as carbolic acid, but non-poisonous. It's safe to have around.
And it makes you safe—safe from the germs that cause infectious diseases.
Use it not only in the sick room but elsewhere in the house.
See how quickly it drives out odors, and how clean it makes everything it touches.
Ask your druggist for "The Yellow Package with the Gable Top."
10c., 25c., 50c., $1.00
WEST DISINFECTING COMPANY, NEW YORK

ALL LADIES
APPRECIATE THE BEAUTY AND COMFORT
TO BE FOUND IN A SELECTION FROM AMONG THE MANY ATTRACTIVE STYLES, SHADES AND FABRICS OF OUR FINE LINE OF MESSALINE AND
Wash Dresses, Pongees and Poplin Coats
BE SURE TO SEE THEM. BESIDES YOU ALWAYS SAVE 20 PER CENT HERE
25 GALLIA ST.
BOTH PHONES
JOSEPH BROWN
MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS' SUITS
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OHIO RIVER FISH AT THE MODEL GROCERY MUCH AND HURTH

DR. PERRY

Eye specialist in relating and grinding lenses. Engagements made for any evening by telephoning B 1379.
OFFICE: 617 Chillicothe Street.

Morse's and Lowney's Fine Chocolates. Fresh Supply.
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Corner Ninth and Waller Near N. & W. Depot.

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Pure Ice Cream
Made fresh every day. Delivered to any part of the city.
GEO. W. FREUND
The Druggist. Corner Gallia and Offnera

Storage and Packing
First-class accommodation at reasonable rates for storing household goods. Expert furniture packers and shippers.
Portsmouth Storage & Auction Co.
66 Gallia St. Home phone 401

SOMETHING NEW
The new fire light pictures, latest thing out. Also new styles in other pictures. Post Cards in holder at most reasonable prices.
KING'S
211 Chillicothe Street

QUALITY
Above every thing in our SANITARY BAKERY
ADAM PFAU

CARNATION CREAM
Makes the skin soft and velvety. Apply to the dry skin night and morning. All roughness and irritation will soon disappear. Get a bottle today.
Hager's Pharmacy
Gallia and John Sts

Chesapeake & Ohio R

Trains leave South Portsmouth, Ky., Ferry steamer Chesapeake leaves Portsmouth, O., 30 minutes prior to departure of trains.

West Bound.

In effect July 9, 1911.

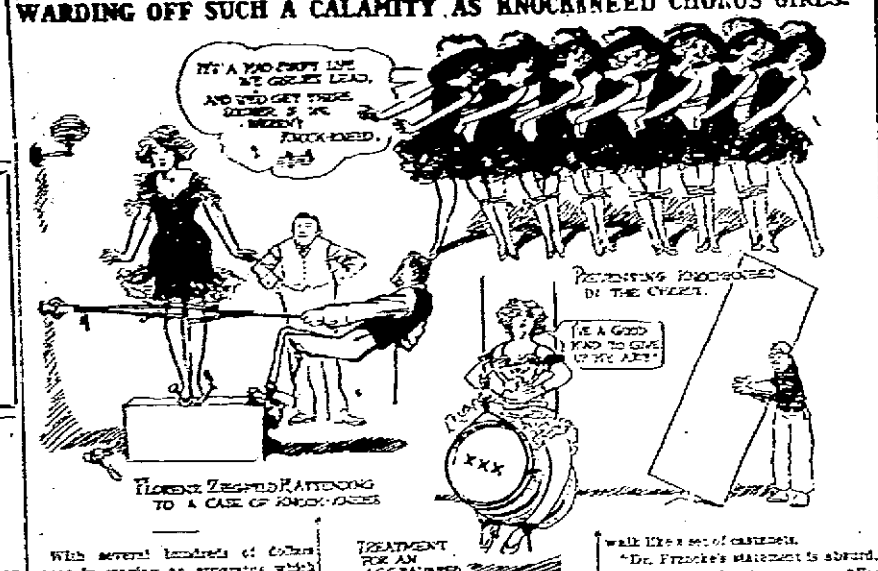
No. 1 daily, fast train 7:04 a. m.
No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7, daily, local 2:14 p. m.
No. 5 daily, fast train, 5:29 a. m.
No. 17 week days, local 7:25 a. m.

East Bound

No. 2 daily, fast train 2:44 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:43 p. m.
No. 6 daily, local 11:31 a. m.
No. 8 daily, fast train 12:37 a. m.
No. 16 week days, local 7:15 p. m.

Ticket office, 126 Market street, Washington hotel. Both phones.
D. A. GRIMES, Agent.

WARDING OFF SUCH A CALAMITY AS KNOCKKNEED CHORUS GIRLS.



With several hundreds of dollars spent in staging an apparatus which will prevent any such calamity as knockkneed chorus girls, Florenz Ziegfeld's forces in New York began to ward off the disaster predicted by Dr. Karl Francke, of Munich.

Dr. Francke, an international authority on such subjects, declares that the modern sheath skirts are making a race of women so knockkneed that they walk like a set of castanets.

"Dr. Francke's statement is absurd," said one prominent surgeon. "Few women in this country are knockkneed and if any of them are it is not due to their skirts."

Theatrical managers, however, are superstitious about some things.

Jackson Wants An Electric Railway

The Jackson Sun says: "The needs of an electric railway from Jackson to Gallipolis, touching Oak Hill, Centerville, Rio Grande, Rodney and various other villages, is felt now more than ever. Here lies hundreds of acres of undeveloped lands and thousands of dollars of produce goes to waste every season on account of a lack of market or facilities to get the produce to the market. The return to the farm movement should be changed to a movement to get facilities to carry the goods from the farm to the market. To travel by rail to Gallipolis requires about the same length of time as to travel from here to New York.

"A piece of mail will reach New York City sooner than Rempel, O., seven miles southeast of us. And one would as soon start for Europe as to try to go to the beautiful college town of Rio Grande. Then there is Portsmouth. The B. & O. branch does an enormous amount of business and the travel on this road is enormous, but the passenger service is a combination of freight and passenger cars, with passenger cars sometimes on the rear, and at other times with freight cars following, so that if the wind is not strong enough to blow away the dense clouds of smoke, you can not tell whether or not it is going or coming.

"We need an electric line to Portsmouth and Ironton. Connect all these points by trolley, and this section of Southern Ohio will enjoy unprecedented prosperity."

WOMAN GETS NEW EYE LID

San Jose, Cal., May 8.—Miss Kate Herndon, of San Jose, is recovering from a remarkable operation by which she obtained a new eyelid, substituting one for the one which was burned away last summer.

It was announced that the experiment had been successful, and soon Miss Herndon will be able to sleep and to wink the injured eye.

The operation was performed by Dr. M. F. Hopkins. A strip of flesh was removed from the woman's temple and grafted to the rim of the lid.

The only trace of the accident will be the absence of the lashes.

Colored Families In A Row, Police Act

Walter Anderson and his brother-in-law, John Lowe, both colored, have been ordered to appear at police headquarters this evening for creating a big disturbance at the former's home, corner of Fifteenth and Kinney streets, Tuesday night.

Anderson, who is employed as a fireman at the Selby shoe factory, claimed that Lowe assaulted him with some instrument and put him out of commission for a few minutes. Anderson had come home and remonstrated with his wife for alleged keeping company with others. Her mother and Lowe then took a hand and a free-for-all resulted. Anderson was badly wounded about the head. City Physician Dr. Chas. Wendelken sewed up his wounds.

LIVER BUTTONS FROM HOT SPRINGS

Really Marvelous Remedy for Constipation, Biliousness and Sick Headache.

Elderly people, especially, are finding to their great joy that there is nothing on earth so good to aid the bowels and keep the stomach well and liver in tip top condition as HOT SPRINGS LIVER BUTTONS.

They are simply the greatest thing for only keep the bowels in prime shape, work a thorough but gentle cathartic upon the liver, purify the blood, clear the complexion, give vigor and health, improve your appetite, etc. HOT SPRINGS LIVER BUTTONS are for sale by all druggists, price 25 cents per box. Get a box for children, grandfather, grandmother, father, mother, sister, brother, or any other member of the family suffering from constipation, biliousness, sick headache, etc. Hot Springs Ark. Wonderful for sick headache. In Portsmouth at the Sherrer-Montgomery Co.'s.

MEN HAD A CLOSE CALL

Thomas Martin, James Burns and Frank Taylor had a narrow escape from drowning last Sunday night while in a skiff coming from a stanchion at the foot of Sixth street to the boat. Just before the skiff reached shore it overturned and they were thrown into the water. By some difficulty they managed to reach shore in safety.

Are Moving.

Charles Warnock and family are moving from East Eleventh street to 506 Union street, the house occupied by William Bohr and family. Mr. Bohr is moving into the house vacated by the Warnocks.

Resigns Position.

Lorin Hitchcock has resigned his position with Walter Patterson, a local dealer in automobiles.

Fine Boy Is Born

Mr. and Mrs. George Schirrmann, of West Fifth street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine 7½-pound baby boy, born Sunday.

Colored League Meets Thursday

The Colored Progressive League will hold its next meeting at the Findlay street M. E. church on Thursday night. The ministers of the churches will be asked to be present to lend their moral support to the organization, which is meeting with the approval of all who are made familiar with the intentions of the league.

The Thursday night meeting will be public, to more fully set forth the aim and principles of the organization. There will be addresses delivered by several members. The last meeting, which was adressed by Prof. Gentry, was very beneficial to all present, and the rally committee appointed to bring in new members is meeting with great success.

All members are requested to be present, and well-wishers are especially invited.

In New York.

Sam B. Timmonds took his departure for New York Tuesday night on the the midnight C. & O. train. He will not return before fall. He left his Hilltop property in charge of William Knapp, who will look after it in good shape. Mr. Timmonds' local agent is Fillmore Musser, cashier of the Ohio Valley bank.

BAKERS HAVE CLOSED SHOP

Hayes & Renner, who have been conducting a bakery in Waverly for the past six months, voluntarily quit business Tuesday, the announcement coming as a complete surprise to their friends. Mr. Renner will return to Columbus to take charge of a bakery his mother is running there. Mr. Renner's father died about two weeks ago.

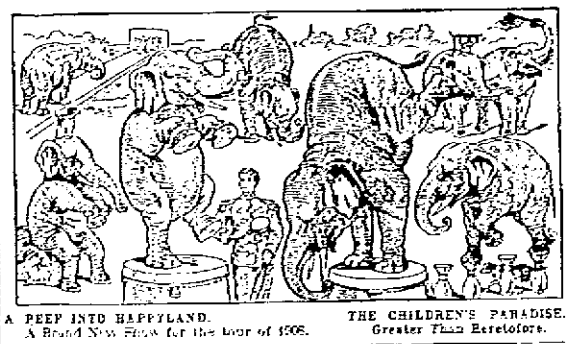
Circuit Court At Waverly

Waverly, O., May 7.—The circuit court convened here today and several important cases are on the docket.

The first one called Tuesday was that of Carey Steen, an appeal from Judge Corn's decision, Steen having been found guilty of contempt of court. The trouble grew out of the fall election held in Perry township. The court will not give its decision on the appeal until Thursday or Friday.

An appeal was also heard in the case of A. M. Gregg against the N. & W. Gregg sued the N. & W. for damages, and claims that the verdict given him in the lower court was not commensurate with the damages incurred by improvements made by the N. & W. Henry T. Bannon appeared for the N. & W. and Attorneys Dougherty and Moore for Gregg.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE
F. O. E. NO. 567 AND SUN BROS' SHOW COMBINED
THE SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST IN THE AMUSEMENT WORLD
Portsmouth, Tuesday, May 14th
COMING VIA SPECIAL TRAIN
—THE NEW,—
SUN BROTHERS' PROGRESSIVE GREATER SHOWS



A PEEP INTO HAPPYLAND. A Brand New Show for the Year of 1912.
THE CHILDREN'S PARADISE. Greater Than Heretofore.

200—Acts, Performers, Features and Splendid Sensational Displays.
200—Beautiful Horses and Ponies. See the Dapple Grays. Colossal Convocation of Trained, Wild and Domestic Animals. Majestic Gymnic and Athletic Tournament.
SPECIAL FEATURE IN EVERY PERFORMANCE. THE SUN TROUPE OF MILITARY AND COMEDY ELEPHANTS.
The Greatest Act of Its Kind in Christendom.

DON'T WAIT FOR ANY OTHER SHOW for the reason that nothing better will exhibit here this season. A Show of Distinction, Merit and Respectability.

Two Complete and Uncertainted Performances Daily, at 2 and 8 p. m. Doors Open at 1 and 7 p. m. Massive Tents and Seats for All.

As an index to the Great Exhibitions there will be given on the Show Grounds at 12:00 p. m. a program of startling free acts.
SHOW GROUNDS AT OLD MILL LOT.

Base Ball Days
are here and with them comes the demand for comfortable warm weather clothing—new Summer Suits in the newest styles, patterns and shades.
OUR STOCK OF MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S CLOTHING. SUITS $15.00 AND $20.00.
are sure winners in the League of Style, Quality, Fit.
Hats, excellent $1.00 values for $1.98
Hats, elsewhere $3.00 and $5.00 for $2.98
A complete line of Straw Hats in all shapes.
Our Suits are all Union Made, always one price to everybody.
New Idea Clothing Co.
AL HAMMEL, Manager. 306 Chillicothe Street

HARDWARE AT COST
WE ARE SELLING OUT.
50c Pocket Knives, guaranteed, only 30c
Lawn Mowers, cheap.
Bird Cages, Screen Doors, Screen Windows, Hoes, Rakes and Hoes, Garden Tools,
SPECIAL:—Carpenters and Mechanics Tools.
H. D. OBERLING,
315-317 CHILLICOTHE STREET.

WE SAY NOTHING BUT SAW WOOD

when some one tells us he can buy lumber for less than we charge. We don't care to argue with a man who judges solely by price. Don't you make such an error. Buy our lumber and buy satisfaction with it. You'll be money in pocket in the end besides.
River City Lumber Co.
BOTH PHONES 137. PORTSMOUTH, O.

In the Spring A Young Girl's Fancy
Lightly turns to thoughts of Shoes!
White Goods, Tan Goods, Pumps or Oxfords—we have 'em all in our
"JUST A LITTLE BETTER LINE"
BAKER THE SLEEPLESS SHOEMAN 845 Gallia

A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Martha Washington Candy
EVERY FRIDAY
THE PURE DRUGS CO.
TWO STORES
Eleventh and Hutchins and Turley Building

DO NOT WAIT
PAY YOUR GAS BILLS
TODAY!
No Discount Allowed After the 10th.
The Portsmouth Gas Co.

May Birthstone
The Emerald being the birthstone for May it remains for our jewelry establishment to display splendid specimens.
This jewel may be had in children's rings at $1.50 to $4.00; in ladies' rings at $2.00 to $15.00 and in gentlemen's rings at $4.50 to $12.00. Also there may be had Emerald Scarf Pins, Brooches, Ear Rings, Bar Pins, etc. at $1.50 upwards.
ALBERT ZOELLNER
Jeweler
Third and Chillicothe

Seeds!
GARDEN AND FIELD SEEDS, SEED POTATOES AND ONION SETS OF ALL KINDS.
We have a complete line of seeds. They are the best Northern grown, fresh and true to name. Get our prices.
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Jos. P. Schaefer & Sons
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T. W. SAMUELS
Nelson County, Kentucky, The finest whiskey made in the world.
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Whiskies
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Melwood, 8 years old, per qt. 90c
Green River, per quart $1.00
T. W. Samuels, per quart ..$1.00
Helen Brook, per quart ....$ .85
Duffys Malt, per quart ....$ .90
Guckenheimer, per quart ..$1.00
Golden Wedding, per quart $1.00
Lynchburg, per quart .... $ .50
Pure Crab Cider, per gallon $ .65
Home Phone 1114.
Orders delivered to any part of the city.
C. E. CROPPER
174 East Eleventh Street.

SPRING TIME IS TONIC TIME. TONE UP YOUR SYSTEM WITH THE BEST
That's Portsmouth Export Beer Of Course
DELIVERED AT 60 CENTS THE DOZEN
THE PORTSMOUTH BREWING and ICE COMPANY Both Phones 94

REPORTED ILLNESS OF MRS. SAGE DENIED.

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE

Friends and many of those interested in the philanthropies of Mrs. Russell Sage in New York were alarmed by a report that she was dangerously ill. Speedy assurance was obtained at the Sage residence, however, that Mrs. Sage was well and that she had suffered from nothing more serious than a slight cold.

Mrs. Sage established the Sage Foundation and several other philanthropies, to which she has expended a large part of the fortune of $150,000,000 intrusted to her keeping upon the death of her husband six years ago.

Jas. S. Thomas Will Erect 5 Buildings

Attorney Jas. S. Thomas, who is a large holder of real estate in this city, is preparing to erect five modern dwellings in the village of McDermott, the stone metropolis of Scioto county.

The excavating work for cellars to the new buildings has already been finished and Tuesday Mr. Thomas let the contract for the stone work to David Stewart, well-known stone mason of this city.

Mr. Stewart, who is one of the most practical stone men in these parts, having been connected with the business nearly all his life, has recived an offer of a lucrative position as a stone inspector with the government, which he will probably accept on completion of his McDermott contract.

He is now laying the foundation for the machinery to be installed for the new water system at the infirmary.

TRAIN RIDER ARRESTED

Ironton, Ohio, May 8—Lewis McCarthy, who claims to b a relative of Ex-chief of Police McCarthy of Portsmouth, was arrested today by Officer Rafferty and placed in the city bastile for train riding. He told the officer his family connections, but that didn't fraze the officer in the least.

New Clerk.

Rube Miller, of South Portsmouth, has taken a position as clerk in Rottinghaus' hardware store.

REBEL ENVOY TO ASK FAIR PLAY

DR POLICARPO RUEDA

Dr. Policarpo Rueda, special envoy of the rebel Junta at Juarez to the United States, arrived in New York on his way to Washington, where he will lay before the State Department a plea on behalf of the rebels that the United States adopt an impartial attitude toward the revolution.

Ironton Is To Have Air Ship

The Business Men's Club of Ironton have arranged for an aeroplane flight in that city on July Fourth. It will be quite a novelty for Ironton to be "going up."

Mrs. A. L. Hammel, of Second street, who has been quite ill the past few years, was reported improving Tuesday morning. Mrs. Isador Edelson, of Ashland, Ky., is at her mother's bedside.

Vaudeville At Grand Is Making A Big Hit

The Basque Trio and Bob Barlow the "classy entertainers" will be at the Grand tonight. These two acts and two reels of good pictures are shown for ten cents.

Vaudeville is gaining ground rapidly at the Grand and the summer season is expected to be a profitable one.

The singing of the Basque Trio is a pleasing departure in local vaudeville.

LUNGS AND ANKLES "SLIM"

Los Angeles, Cal., May 8.—The American woman's complexion needs more "life," her lungs more capacity, her ankles are "too spindling," says Dr. Ludwig von Ferre, formerly of the University of Copenhagen, and soon to head the physiological department of the University of Paris. He says:

"For the complexion indulge in skipping exercises.

"For the contracted lung capacity whistle and sing.

"For the 'spindling' ankles and 'pudgy' feet run."

HOLIDAY OF GROCERS THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The grocers and their clerks expect to have another half-holiday Thursday afternoon of this week.

The grocers in the East End who did not close last Thursday have signed the petition, and practically every grocery will be closed.

No special plans have been made for the half-holiday this week, but on Thursday, May 16, the amusement committee expects to have a great time at Millbrook park. Ball games and other amusements will be planned.

The housewife should not forget that it will be necessary to get her order in early Thursday orning.

Is Sick With Diphtheria

Mildred, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schloss, of Eighth street, is quarantined with diphtheria, but her attending physician states that she is getting along nicely. Mr. Schloss and son are staying with relatives until the quarantine is lifted.

WELL, NEBBE SO.

An old resident who keeps posted on weather statistics, calls attention to the fact that, while the past winter may have been worse than usual, yet the winter of 1816 cannot be surpassed. In that year there was no summer at all, and fires were necessary nearly every day throughout the year. In April there was an abundance of snow and ice, and in May it became so cold that all crops were killed. In June one of the heaviest snows of the year fell, and during the rest of the summer residents saw an abundance of snow and ice.

On Legal Errand.

Judge W. D. James was called to Cincinnati Tuesday on a legal errand. He will return Wednesday evening.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that the time for paying water rent has been extended until June first, and no money will be received until that date.

This delay was caused by the new system being installed by the State Bureau, and the books for same will not be ready until June first. The usual rate of discount will be allowed for all rents paid in June.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS,
Service Director.

Mr. Laubner Prospering.

Sommer Bros. are in receipt of a letter and some postcard views from J. A. Laubner, an old Scioto county boy, now operating a loan office in Seward, Alaska. Mr. Laubner, who a few years ago visited his old home in McDermott, has just finished the erection of a fine new office building in Seward.

Mr. Bush At New Location

Hayden Bush, who was made yardmaster of the N. & W. yards at Wilcoe, W. Va., left Monday for that place to assume the duties of the position. His successor here, Dick Nelson, is already on the job with his sleeves rolled up.

Otway Knights Plan Function

Smith Lodge Knights of Pythias of Otway is planning to give a big social function on the night of Saturday, May 18, in the way of an elaborate banquet and entertainment for the Knights, their families and friends. An interesting program is being arranged, and unless all plans miscarry the affair will be the biggest event of the kind given in the village for years.

The affair will be given in the splendid hall owned by the lodge.

OFFICERS OF RED MEN

The staff of officers chosen for Huron Tribe of Red Men, recently instituted at George postoffice, is as follows:

Sachem—Z. E. Wheeler.
Prophet—Charles Clemons.
Sr. Sagamore—Frank Bonner.
Junior Sagamore—James Long.
Chief of Records—Charles Oppy.
Keeper of Wampum—O. D. Gable.

Action In The Squire's Court

Squire Daniel Shakespeare issued a summons in a civil action against J. W. Foley, amounting to $18.20 in favor of the New York & Pittsburg Coffee Co., of Pittsburg Pa.

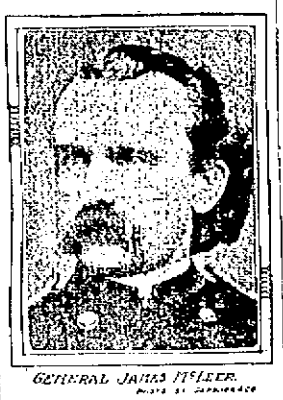
The Dean Agency represents the plaintiff.

Overhauling Car.

Homer Selby is having his nifty Thomas-Detroit runabout completely overhauled and the work is being done under the supervision of H. A. Noland, who takes care of the Selby cars.

Don't permit your dealer to sell you anything but an "Equity" Gas Range.

GENERAL M'LEER HEALED BY SERUM



GENERAL JAMES M'LEER.

Credit for healing the remnant of the left arm of General James McLeer, formerly commander of the National Guard in New York State, was attributed yesterday by his physician, Dr. George H. Ilor, of Brooklyn, to staphylococci serum.

"This serum," said Dr. Ilor, "was injected just under the left shoulder blade at weekly intervals for a month last July, and recently all pain and the sore disappeared."

General McLeer was injured in the battle of Manassas in 1862.

STATIONS ARE CLOSED BY N. & W.

The N. & W., following its usual retrenching policy through the summer months, has discontinued several of the smaller station agencies along its line in Southern Ohio.

Two offices—Henley and Macon—on the Cincinnati district, and Franklin Furnace on the Kenova division, were closed Tuesday, and it is said more are to be eliminated.

Edgar Newnah, who has had charge of the Henley office since it was opened, has returned to his home at Mineral Springs, where he will engage in farming.

HALF CENT MAY COME

Washington, May 8.—A three-cent piece and a one-half cent were provided for in a bill passed today by the house.

Woman Evangelist Has Regular Charge

Mrs. Elizabeth Kreitz, woman evangelist, who has conducted successful revival meetings at various places in the western part of the county during the past several months, has accepted the pastorate of the Oswego and Rocky Fork churches.

Mrs. Kreitz is now conducting a meeting at the Otway Christian Union church and has succeeded in organizing a large bible class there.

She is a native of Maysville, Ky.

OTWAY MAN INJURED

Word reached here Wednesday of an accident that befell Sam Davis, an Otway sawmill man, the other day which came near costing him the loss of a hand.

The accident happened near Cincinnati, where Mr. Davis has been for some time operating a sawmill, and was caused by the bursting of a saw.

His left hand was badly lacerated, two fingers being almost severed and others split, and he will be laid up with the injured "fin" for several weeks.

Chris Saw Commoner

Chris Gromme, of Carey's Run, has returned from a visit to his sister, Mrs. William Miller, at Chillicothe. While there Monday he had the pleasure of seeing the great commoner, William Jennings Bryan, just as he alighted from his train.

To Represent Portsmouth

Charles Sommer and John F. Flannigan will represent Portsmouth council, Knights of Columbus, at the state convention of that order to be held in Lancaster, May 13 and 14.

CHAMPIONSHIP BOWLING

"Bud" Walters and Byron Prediger will roll the second log of their bowling match for the championship of Portsmouth at the Play House alleys Friday night. No doubt a large crowd will be present. Walters has a big lead on Prediger, but the latter is confident of his ability to overhaul the champion.

Wonderful Fish Story

F. N. Patterson, popular downtown barber, has just returned from a visit to his native home, Ravenswood, W. Va., and brought back a wonderful fish story. "Pat" claims he caught eight turtles, 41 green frogs and 140 pounds of fish during his brief stay there.

"Equity" gas ovens never explode.

Mrs. Cain Here.

Mrs. Homer Cain, wife of the centerfielder on the Portsmouth team, arrived here Monday from Lancaster and will spend the summer in Portsmouth, where her husband will be most of the time.

Cockroaches

are Easily Exterminated by Using the Genuine

Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste

It is a sure exterminator of rats, mice, cockroaches and all vermin. Get the genuine.

Money Back if it Fails.
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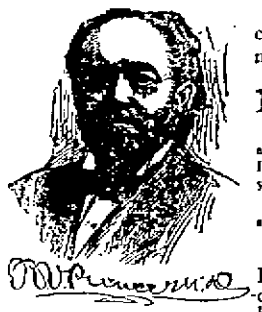
FOR ALL MEN AND WOMEN

I will give you free a sample of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, that have brought health and happiness to thousands—also a book on any chronic disease you need.

The story of my free offer to you is quickly told. During my many years of practice I have used numerous combinations of curative medicines for liver ills. I have kept records of results in case after case, so that my staff of physicians and surgeons, at the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., are able to diagnose and treat cases at a distance with uniform good results. I am going to send you free a sample package of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which will relieve biliousness and ill health due to a disordered liver. Write at once for a sample or a book.

But for the *permanent relief* of blood disorders and impurities, I can recommend my ***"Golden Medical Discovery"***—a blood medicine without alcohol —R. V. PIERCE, M. D., *Buffalo, N. Y.*



Nature's Way Is The Best.

Buried deep in our American forest we find bloodroot, queen's root, mandrake and stone root, golden seal, Oregon grape root and cherrybark. Of these Dr. R. V. Pierce made a pure glyceric extract which has been favorably known for over forty years. He called it "GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY."

This "Discovery" purifies the blood and tones up the stomach and the entire system in Nature's own way. It's just the tissue builder and tonic you require.

Dr. Pierce says:—"Glycerine plays an important part in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in the cure of indigestion, dyspepsia and weak stomach, attended by sour risings, heartburn, foul breath, coated tongue, poor appetite, gnawing feeling in stomach, biliousness and kindred derangements of the stomach, liver and bowels.

In coughs and hoarseness caused by bronchial, throat and lung affections, except consumption, the "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most efficient remedy, especially in those obstinate, hang-on-coughs caused by irritation and congestion of the bronchial mucous membranes. The "Discovery" is not so good for acute coughs arising from sudden colds, nor must it be expected to cure consumption in its advanced stages—no medicine will do that—but for all the obstinate, chronic coughs, which, if neglected, or badly treated, lead up to consumption, it is the best medicine that can be taken." Sold by all principal dealers in medicines.

To find out more about the above mentioned diseases and all about the body in health and disease, get the Common-Sense Medical Adviser—the People's Schoolmaster in Medicine—revised and up-to-date book of 1000 pages—which treats of diseased conditions and the practical, successful treatment thereof. Cloth-bound sent post-paid on receipt of 31 cents in stamps to pay cost of mailing only. Address Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

S.S.S. Cures Skin Diseases

Nature has made ample provision in the sunshine and moisture of the air for the outward life and protection of the skin, but the more important work of nourishing the cuticle has been left to an inward source—the blood. It is from the circulation that the pores and glands receive their support, and the fibrous tissues are all preserved in a healthful state because of constant nourishment supplied by the blood.

So long as the blood is pure and rich the skin will be free from eruptions or disease, but when the circulation becomes infected with acids and humors its nourishing and, healthful properties are greatly diminished, and this acrid, humor-laden condition causes irritation and inflammation of the delicate tissues and fibres. Then the effect is shown in Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, or some other distressing, disfiguring skin disease.

Humors and impurities get into the blood through a deranged or inactive condition of the system. Those members whose duty it is to collect and expel the refuse matter of the system fail to properly do their work, and this surplus or waste matter is left in the system to sour and be absorbed into the blood.

The cause of all skin diseases can be traced to some humor or acid in the blood. Smooth, healthy skins are only possible where the circulation is pure; and therefore the cure of any skin affection can only come from a thorough cleansing of this vital fluid. Salves, washes, lotions, etc., are vaufable only for their ability to keep the skin clean, allay superficial irritation, or soften the hardened cuticle. Such treatment cannot cure because it does not reach the blood where the cause is located, and to depend upon such measures alone usually results in the aggravation and spreading of any skin trouble.

S. S. S. cures Skin Diseases of every kind by neutralizing the acids and removing all humors or other impurities from the blood. S. S. S. cools the acid-heated circulation, builds it up to its normal strength and thickness, multiplies its rich, nutritious corpuscles, and adds to its purity and nourishing qualities in every way. Then the skin instead of being irritated and inflamed by acids and fiery humors, is nourished, soothed and made perfect by a plentiful supply of rich, pure blood. S. S. S. is the greatest of all blood purifiers and therein lies its ability to cure skin troubles. It cures Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, pimples, boils, rashes and all eruptions of the cuticle. These troubles cannot remain when the cause has been removed, and S. S. S. will certainly remove the cause by purifying the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and medical advice free. *THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.*

I suffered with a bad case of Eczema for over 12 years, and I tried everything I heard of. Nothing helped me until I began to use S.S.S. I commenced this medicine and the Eczema soon began to gradually disappear. I continued taking S.S.S., and it completely cured the disease and every blemish and eruption left. The sore and itching so characteristic of this trouble have entirely left, and I am sound and well.
Mrs. Chas. Gill
50 Clinton St., Newark, N. J.

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The Summer number illustrating Pictorial Review Patterns.

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Postponed

On account of rain the LAST GRAND AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING LOTS at CASTLE HILL, Sciotoville, advertised for Tuesday, May 7th was POSTPONED to

Thursday, May 9th

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

Free Special Cars

for adults only leave the Post Office, Portsmouth at 1:30 o'clock, returning after the sale.

EASY TERMS: ONLY $10.00 DOWN.
FREE DEED IN CASE OF DEATH.

Free Band Concert

This will be your LAST CHANCE to buy lots at auction at Castle Hill.

REMEMBER THE DATE, THURSDAY MAY 9th AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

Free cars leave promptly at 1:30.

SMITH REALTY CO.

HERBERT W. SMITH, Auctioneer.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES ARRANGED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

COMPANY OF MARINES IN GRAND ARMY PARADE.

Memorial Day will be celebrated with impressive ceremonies this year. In New York particularly this day is given to monster parades. The picture herein shows a section of marines who usually take part in the exercises.

Changes Ordered By Factory Inspector

Columbus, O., May 8—The State Inspector of Shops and Buildings has ordered two chemical fire extinguishers in the High school at Lucasville, and the same in the Valley township school there.

The Presbyterian and Methodist churches at that place are ordered to have their doors open outwardly.

At Sciotoville the Carlyle Paving Brick Company is ordered to case its main driving belt.

Purdy Brothers, of Lucasville, are ordered to put guard rails at the ends of their rolls and cylinders to see that the doors of the church open outwardly.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notice is hereby given that the time for paying water rent has been extended until June first, and no money will be received until that date.

This delay was caused by the new system being installed by the State Bureau, and the books for same will not be ready until June first. The usual rate of discount will be allowed for all rents paid in June.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS,
Service Director.

Harry Evans Back, Patches Up Row

Harry Evans, the colored barber who took French leave from Portsmouth last week when his wife caught him in the company of a white woman, returned here Tuesday.

Evans and his wife kissed and made up, it is said, at any rate he spent most of the day at their apartments in the K. of C. club rooms. Evans went to the Turley building barber shop of which he had been manager and proceeded to remove some towels and other articles. William Harris, the janitor of the building, hurried to police headquarters and reported the facts. Chief Phillips hunted up Evans and ordered him to return the articles. Evans claimed they were his own personal property. The chief told him that made no difference for under the circumstances he should have gotten out a writ of replevin or at least consulted the shop owners. Evans obeyed orders, saying he expected to go before some magistrate to recover his property. It is said he expects to leave Portsmouth as soon as he has local affairs adjusted.

Buy Refrigerators at Hibbs'.

Deputy Sheriff Rube Lawson, of Greenup county, Ky., went to Cincinnati Monday for medical treatment.

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Claim Arrests Have Broken Up Bold Gang

The Lewis county grand jury was expected to return indictments at Vanceburg, Ky., Wednesday, against Doll McGraw, of this city, Charles Null, of Ironton, and Frank Easley, of Kenton, O., confessed C. & O. box car robbers.

According to word brought to Portsmouth by Detectives Walden and Rice, Tuesday night, Null and Easley had made sworn confessions and McGraw declared his intention of making a clear breast of it in the event he was indicted.

The detectives claim that in the above trio they have cleaned up the worst robber gang that has harassed the C. & O. railway at this end of the line in the past eight or ten years.

McGraw was arrested on his shantyboat at Quincy some weeks ago, while Null and Easley were captured just a few days ago at Allegan, Mich., by Detectives Walden and Rice, assisted by R. B. Payne, of Richmond, Va., traveling freight claim adjuster of the C. & O. Easley is a lineman and was working on top of a telegraph pole when the sleuths surprised him. He at the time wore a suit that was stolen from a C. & O. shipment.

The robber gang has been operating along the Cincinnati division ever since last October and carried on their work in a most systematic manner. They would board through manifest freight trains at Russell, Ky., and would enter cars through the end windows. The seal records of cars were always perfect, and frequently robberies would not be discovered by clerks until days afterwards. The robbers would throw off their plunder when the trains reached Quincy. Much of the stuff was concealed about shanty boats there, while part of it would be peddled out. The detectives recovered several suits that had been sold to natives, among others one each from Jesse Wood and Lynn Redman, who had bought them from the shantyboat men. Easley confessed that he had been robbing cars since November last. It is estimated that at least $1,000 worth of merchandise has been stolen by the gang. Of this amount there was $700 worth of clothing, the greatest part of which has ben recovered.

Much of the stolen property was consigned to Cheyenne, Wyoming, and included dry goods, shoes and 36 suits of clothes.

The grand jury is expected to report Saturday, and in support of indictments all three men have confessed.

Lafe McGraw, a brother of Doll McGraw, who was the city dog catcher under Mayor Searey's administration, was not implicated in the car robberies. He was living on a separate shantyboat when Doll was arrested. Null and Easley struck out after learning of McGraw's arrest. They went to Easley's old home in Kenton, and from there were traced to Michigan.

All three robbers are now in the county jail at Vanceburg, and on Monday night made a desperate attempt to escape. Easley and another prisoner held for burglary, are said to have led in the attempt, and had they not ben discovered when they were, would have succeeded in escaping through an 18-inch wall.

Another C. & O. alleged robber gang is also to be tried at Vanceburg this week. They are John Glenn, of Covington, a conductor, Alva Beckett, of Maysville, a fireman, Joe Davis, of Maysville, a brakeman, and John Holmes, of Garrison, a brakeman. All belonged to the same freight crew and were arrested for alleged robbing merchandise cars. Some of the plunder was found in their homes and considerable whiskey in the caboose of their train, the engineer of which alone escaped arrest.

COLDS VANISH

Quick, Sensible Method That Doesn't Upset the Stomach

Have you heard of the overnight cold cure that is putting colds in the head and chest out of business between sunset and daybreak.

Here it is. Cut it out and save it if you don't need it now. If you have a cold, cough, throat soreness or acute catarrh, be sure and try it tonight just before going to bed. Pour a scant teaspoonful of HYOMEI (pronounce it Hiho-me) into a bowl of boiling water, cover head and bowl with a towel and breathe for several minutes the vapor that arises, then go to sleep and awake with a clear head free from mucous.

HYOMEI is guaranteed for catarrh, colds, coughs, croup, asthma, sore throat and bronchitis or money back. Bottle of Hyomei 50 cents at Wurster's and druggists everywhere.

Only A Fire Hero

but the crowd cheered, as, with burned hands, he held up a small round box. "Fellows!" he shouted, "this Bucklen's Arnica Salve I hold, has everything beat for burns." High! also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, eczema, cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest pile cure. It subdues inflammation, kills pain. Only 25 cents at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

SUNDAY CAMPAIGN STOCK IS ISSUED

Columbus, Ohio, May 8—Stock for the Billy Sunday campaign is now being issued by the Columbus Evangelistic Association to members of the various churches of the city. The total amount secured so far is $21,500, and it is expected that when all the stock is disposed of $30,000 will have ben realized. The stock subscriptions range from $1 to $250.

Kids Roll On Floor

Officer Henry Clark has been detailed to break up the practice of small boys loafing and rolling about on the floors of picture theater lobbies. Theatrical managers have frequently complained about annoyances of that sort. Clark found two tots named Mason and Hinson lying outstretched in the entrance of the Orpheum theater Tuesday afternoon. He promptly marched them off to their homes.

Mr. Bonzo At Home

Joe Bonzo has returned home from Athens, Ohio, having given up his position as attendant at the State Hospital there.

He had charge of fifty some patients in Ward No. 19 under Dr. Brisbon. He says there are now a total of 1300 patients in the institution which is being most successfully managed by Dr. Fordyce, the superintendent, and his efficient staff. He says Dr. Fordyce is kind to attendants and patients alike and is certainly the right man in the right place.

Dan's Car A Beauty

Dan W. Conroy's new National car has arrived from the factory in Indianapolis. It is painted black and is a little smaller than his old car, but it has more power and is not nearly so high. Mr. Conroy gave it a good workout Tuesday night.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Joseph Labor, an estimable lady residing on Pine Creek, is seriously ill with cancer of the stomach, and it is feared she cannot survive much longer.

William, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Buffington, of Jefferson street, who has been ill for the past week, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. John Fatton, of Pond Run, who has been very ill with measles for the past three weeks, is slowly improving.

Joe Knoppe, veteran B. & O. S.-W. engineer, who has been off duty with rheumatism for some time past, expects to leave this week for Hot Springs, Ark.

Joe Frantz, who just re-engaged in the grocery business at his old stand on Market street, is suffering with an attack of rheumatism.

Roy Williams, youngest son of Service Director John M. Williams, who has been laid up in his apartments in the Schapiro block since Sunday with a severe case of stomach trouble, is reported better.

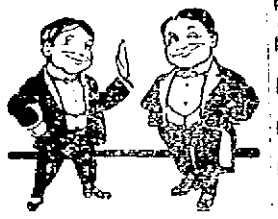
Mrs. Alice Gore, of 103 1-2 Court street, who was compelled to return home a week ago from Ashland, Ky., where she was visiting relatives, owing to illness, has been gradually growing worse. She is suffering from a complication of diseases.

Mrs. J. A. Vonderembse, of East Eleventh street, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks with bronchitis and pleurisy, is still confined to her bed most of the time.

Mrs. Frank McCarty, of Wheelersburg, who has been quite sick since the birth and death of her baby ten days ago, is improving slowly.

Miss Ella Isham, a daughter of Barber William Isham, and who has been suffering with sciatic rheumatism for some time past, was removed to Hampstead hospital, Tuesday afternoon.

Marion Outing Shoes



"Say, I have found an Outing Shoe that is just *all right*. I have had Double Wear and Cool, Feet-Free Shoes since I have worn Marion Outing Shoes. They are more than is claimed for them."

THE REASONS
Full Double *H's* Soles.
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Made in Black or Tan
Men's $2.50 up. Boys' $2.00 up.
Youths' $2 up. Little Gents' $1.75 up.
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THE OPENING OF OUR
Thirty-Eighth
ANNIVERSARY SALE
Was so Auspicious that without a doubt This Sale will Eclipse Every Other Sale ever Held in Portsmouth

Fate was more kind to us than most people thought when the opening morning of our sale found a steady downpour of rain until almost noon. What we, with our augmented sales force would have done had the weather been bright, is hard to imagine. As it was, with the rain coming down the near way, every department in the big store was rushed to capacity from the time the front doors swung open and presented this gigantic sale to the people of the community.

The terrible onslaught upon our specials so far has torn great holes in our stocks, and some of our bargains will not last the sale out. If ever it paid a shopper to come early it will pay you now. Don't delay for the "Sale of a Thousand Specials" is disposing of merchandise at an astonishingly rapid rate and your time to save is right NOW.

A thousand bargains and money saved at every turn. From the time you enter the door and spy ten yards of the best 5c brown muslin for 39c until you reach the fourth floor and find ten yards of good calico going for 39c you are confronted with bargain after bargain, one better than the other.

But don't wait. Your neighbor is realizing great savings. Why not you.

One Big Floor Devoted to the Sale of Carpets, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies at Under Prices During Our Thirty-Eighth Anniversary Sale.

No house-keeper should fail to visit our big sale of rugs, carpets and draperies. Prices way down and qualities as high as ever. Now is the one time of the year when you can buy these articles at the greatest saving in price. Don't remain at home till your neighbors come back from this big sale loaded down with the greatest bargains she ever got, but make arrangements to come yourself, and come early in the sale, for at such tremendously low prices as we are offering, the multitudes are sure to make deep holes in our immense stocks ere many days pass by.

Unequalled Reductions On 9x12 Foot Rugs

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, $12.50 values for $9.75; $15.00 for $12.50, and the usual $18.00 qualities for only $15.75.

AXMINSTER RUGS always sold at $20.00 now $16.00; $22.50 Rugs for $17.75; $25.00 values will go tripping out the door for only $19.75 each. The Axminster seamless, however, will have to be sold at $21.75 for the $25 qualities.

BODY BRUSSELS RUGS worth $22.50 go at $19.75, and the $25.00 patterns will delight many a woman's heart at $22.50.

ROYAL WILTON RUGS worth $35.00 for $32.50. However, we have just two good patterns that we will sell to the first comers at $28.75. The $27.50 values go at $24.75.

LARGE SIZE RUGS larger than 9x12, in Body Brussels, worth $50.00 for $31.75. $37.50 for $35.00. Royal Wiltons worth $50.00 for $42.50; while the $45.00 values go for $39.50.

HOME MADE RUGS, larger than 9x12 feet, made up in our own work rooms and always priced 25% less than elsewhere, will be sold at a further reduction of 10 per cent during this great Anniversary Sale.

Small Rugs at Big Savings

SMYRNA RUGS size 18x36 inches worth $1.00 for 79c. The 30x60 size go for the same low price.

AXMINSTER RUGS size 18x36 worth $1 for 89c.

VELVET RUGS size 27x54, worth $1.25 for $1.10.

AXMINSTER AND VELVET worth $2 for $1.65; $2.50 for $1.98; $3.75 for only $2.98.

Special Prices on Carpets By the Yard

Odd pieces of Tapestry Brussels Carpet, no border 90c value for 69c; 75c value for 58c. Tapestry with border, $1.00 value for 79c.

Axminster with border $1.20 for 89c.

Velvet Carpet with border, $1.20 for 98c. Velvet Carpet, hall and stair to match, $1.20 value for 98c.

INGRAIN ART SQUARES in large assortment of sizes and styles, less 10 per cent from the regular prices.

INGRAIN CARPET, 25c for 22c; 35c for 30c; 40c for 35c; 50c for 45c; 65c for 58c a yard.

Mattings Reduced

The 25c values for 22c; 30c for 25c; 35c for 30c and the 40c for 35c.

MATTING RUGS, size 9x12 ft. special $2.69 and $3.69.

REMNANTS LINOLEUM, printed and inlaid at one-fourth off.

Great Savings for You Among the Curtains and Draperies

Stencil Scrim, one lot of 25c and 29c values to be sold for 17½c.

Printed Madras 35c values for 25c. Colored Swiss four patterns, worth 25c for 19c.

Sikoline, one lot worth 12½c for 9c a yard.

Lace Curtains, large assortment of Nottingham, Cable and Brussels Net Curtains, some Swiss Curtains at a discount of 20 per cent.

All Curtains not included in above lot at 10 per cent off.

Curtain Nets, large assortment in White, Cream and Ecru, at prices ranging from 15c to 40c a yard at a reduction of one-fourth.

Heavy Tapestry Portieres less 20 per cent.

Light weight Portieres in Madras and Stencil Scrim at a discount of one-fourth.

Rope Portieres at one-third off.

Satin Top Pillows, $1.25 values for 85c.

Satin and Velour Top Pillows, usually $2.00 now $1.60.

Pillow Tops, 35c values for 65c; 50c values for 40c; 35c for 25c; 25c for 19c.

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY SALE

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